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ROBBERS' FIENDISH DEED

Helpless Women Tortured By Four Masked Men.

TUSCARAWAS COUNTY THE SCENE

Aged Mother and Two Daughters Beaten, and the Feet of One of the Women Burned to Make Them Confess Where Money is Hidden.

CANAL DOVER, O., May 10—A country farmhouse two miles southeast of here was last night the scene of the most inhuman and brutal outrage ever perpetrated within the bounds of Tuscarawas county. Three women, an invalid mother, aged 85 years, and two unmarried daughters in middle life, were beaten and tortured with fire by four masked men, rendered insensible and left bound for five hours. It was the country home of the Ballietts, Elizabeth, the mother, and two daughters, Emaline and Elizabeth. They are very wealthy and have lived the life of recluses, without male protection, for 30 years. It is generally believed that their money is hidden in the house.

Last midnight, as they slept, Emaline upstairs and the mother and other daughter below, four masked men, armed with bludgeons and torches, burst open the door. The women were commanded to keep quiet by threats of instant death, while the robbers bound them hand and foot with ropes. When the mother and daughters insisted they had no money in the house they were not believed.

Emaline was then bound upon her back to the four corners of the bed and one of the fiends tried to extort the hiding place of her wealth by applying a burning torch to the soles of her feet, while another stood over her with a club, threatening to strike if she screamed. As the flames burned and cracked the flesh she lost consciousness, and, leaving her thus bound, the two proceeded down-stairs where the mother and other daughter were placed on the rack.

Foiled and maddened at not locating any money, Elizabeth, the daughter, was dealt a terific blow on the head with a blunt club and sank into unconsciousness, while the blood from the gash stained the pillows. The mother, who is deaf and almost blind and a sufferer from palsy, was then beaten and bruised, and after binding the three more securely the thieves ransacked the house, obtaining about $60 in gold, and then left their victims.

Elizabeth, the daughter, was the first to regain consciousness, and after working for an hour succeeded in loosing her wrists and ankles, which were fearfully lacerated. She then liberated her mother and sister, the latter still unconscious, and walked half a mile to the nearest neighbor for aid.

Sheriff Anderson, at New Philadelphia, was sent for and secured but little evidence to work on, One of the masks, a black piece of cloth with eyeholes, and a miner's cap lamp were the only clews Sheriff Anderson telegraphed to the Canton workhouse for bloodhounds and they are expected to-night. When they arrive they will be put on the trail in the hope of capturing the fiends.

News of the outrage spread like wildfire and many people have visited the house to-day. The mother is lying at the point of death and it is feared the shock may kill her. The daughter who was burned is unable to walk. The most intense feeling prevails and if caught the men may be lynched.

Great Pictures.

The May number of "Great Pictures" is ready and contains the following huge pictures created by master minds :

"Leda," (R. Fleury), a favorite subject for artists of every school.

"The Spider's Web," (Le Quesne), a superb nude—a charming study of beautiful women, who are endeavoring to extricate themselves from their gauzy environment.

"San Luis Rey," (W. H. Jackson), one of the characteristic missions of California, a marvel of architecture.

"The Great Machinery Hall," (W. Jackson), one of the great and wonderful buildings of the Fair.

Each picture is 11 x 14 inches in size and fit for a frame. The price is 15 cents a copy at all book stores or by mail from The White City Art Co., 611 Manhattan Building., Chicago, Ill.

New Pension Law.

A new United States Pension law has been enacted bearing date March 6, 1897, which reads as follows :

"That whenever a claim for pension under the act of June 27, 1890, has been or shall hereafter be, rejected, suspended or dismissed, and a new application shall have been, or shall hereafter be, filed, and a pension has been, or shall hereafter be, allowed in such claim, such pension shall date from the time of filing the first application, provided the evidence in the case shall show a pensionable disability to have existed, or to exist, at the time of filing such first application, anything in any law or ruling of the department to the contrary notwithstanding.

This law will be found of interest to every pensioner whose pension was not allowed from the date of the filing of the first application. Where such first application was "rejected, suspended or dismissed," and subsequently a new application was filed, and pensions only dated from the new application, this law distinctly provides that the pension shall date from the time of filing the first application, provided the evidence in the case shall show a pensionable disability to have existed, or to exist, at the time of filing such first application. This fact may be ascertained by carefully reading the law given above in this article.

A Free and Easy Jail.

The Nantucket jail stories which have been current courtroom topics for the last century have been entirely eclipsed by recent stories concerning the convicts of the Barnstable jail, says the Nantucket Inquirer and Mirror. Mr. E. C. Knapp, who is supposed to be serving five years' sentence for stealing national bank funds, was recently seen in the streets in prison garb, giving the wife of the jailer, Mrs. G. H. Cash, bicycle lessons. Mrs. Cash is 38 years old and has a daughter aged 18 years and the convict is said to occupy a place of congenial companionship in the jailers family. Another convict, named Lewis Rogers, was recently allowed to take a cow to Yarmouth and back while the sun was bright and invigorating for a pleasant walk.

There is another prisoner, a Portuguese named Joe, who is there on complaint of a Portuguese girl named Rosa, and her story is that Joe promised to marry her while he was serving out a previous sentence in the jail, and that she often met Joe outside the jail. It is a pitiful story, because when Joe got out of jail he married another girl, after borrowing $30 from Rosa. And all this in Barnstable town, where the jail is. The stories of Nantucket's easy-going jail pale into insignificance in comparison with our continental neighbor.

Palmistry.

Marvelous things are claimed of palmistry, not only by those who practice it as a profession but by many who have seen prophecies of palmists come true in actual life, says the New York Herald. Telling the past by the lines of the hands is, however, almost a new art. There is a man in town who believes he can do it, at least so far as marriages are concerned. Still further, he claims that the lines of the hand show whether a marriage in the past ended in divorce and which party it was that obtained the divorce

"It is also possible," he said the other day, "to find in the palms the records of the number of one's marriages, a hint of the experiences of courtship and whether married life proved smooth or otherwise. I saved one young woman from a bigamist once. He was engaged to her and they came together to me.

'You are married already,' I said after looking at his palm. He only laughed but the young woman investigated and found it was true. On another occasion I saw in the hand of a hotelkeeper the record of two marriages—one at 24 years and the other at 50. When I told him he was simply amazed. 'I was married once at 24,' he said, 'and again at 48.' The hands are the records of the body. It is amazing what is written there."

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the U. B. church, of Bellefonte, are going to hold a festival in the Mc Clain block on Friday and Saturday evenings, the 14th and 15th.

BITTER FEELING

Existing Among the Factions in the National House.

LIVELY ORATORY EXPECTED

The House Program of Three Day Adjournments Will Be Suspended This Week—No Certianty as to the Line of Proceeding in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 9.—The House program of three day adjournments will be suspended this week.

The sundry civil appropriation which passed the senate now returns to the House for action on the amendments. The program pursued when the Indian bill came back to the House probably will be followed in the case of the sundry civil. That is, the amendments will be considered in the House before the bill is sent to conference.

There is a good deal of bitter feeling among the House factions, which may break out as soon as opportunity for debate is given and some lively oratorical displays are expected.

The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill also will be ready for consideration before the week closes. The questions involved in the opening of the Uncompaghre reservation in Utah will, of course, furnish the main source of contention in the debate on this report.

There is no certainty as to the line of proceeding in the senate during the present week.

The Morgan Cuban resolution probably will be taken up Monday, and it may lead to a prolonged and spirited debate. Senator Morgan is quite determined to press the resolution to an issue and Senator Hale just as determined to prevent its passage. Mr. Hale ultimately will move to refer the resolution to the committee on foreign relations, and an effort will be made to enlist the friends of the administration against it.

Ths committees will be filled Monday or Tuesday, but, as this will be done on the basis heretofore agreed upon, there will be no friction over the proceedings.

The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill may cause some debate, but the probabilities are that the agreement of the conferees will be generally acquiesced in.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is pleasant to take, positively harmless to the most delicate constitution and absolutely sure to cure the most obstinate cough or cold. A household boon,

Artists Gather at Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9.—The desire to see the air-ship of Prof. Barnard, which on its trial trip yesterday showed that the inventor had built a machine which could be steered in any direction and which responded readily to the propelling power, attracted many visitors to tne exposition grounds, but the ship was not on exhibition. The pupils of the Tennesee Industrial School, 700 in number, visited the exposition to-day, and this afternoon, listened to addresses from some of the visiting Methodist Bishops.

Many prominent artists have arrived and others en route to attend the formal opening of the Parthenon Monday, when F. Hopkinson Smith, of New York, will deliver an address. Exhibits continue to arrive. To-morrow is public school children's day.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Howard Items.

Miss Ethel Dale, of Lemont, is visiting Miss Mable Moore, of this place.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs John Pletcher was buried on Sunday.

Mr. John Meese and wife, of Pelle fonte, spent Sunday in our town.

Mr. Claude Moore, who has been with F. P. Blair & Co., the leading jewelers of Bellefonte, for the past year, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Moore.

The flower thieves are again at work in this town. One day last week some of them ruined a beautiful bush that was in bloom in the yard of Mrs. W. H. Neff. Boys and girls, you are requested to stop stealing flowers, or you may be dealt with according to law.

Mr. Thos. Moore, wife and daughter, Miss Helen, were visiting in our town over Sunday.

Mr. George Moore and wife, of Erie, Pa., are the guests of Mr. Moore's mother.

A bran new boy arrived at the home of Mr. A. A. Schenck, our popular tinner and hardware dealer; and now Anson's face is wreathed in smiles.

Mr. Frank Guiser, of Clintondale, was the guest of Mr. W. B. Rossman on Tuesday.

Mr. E. C. Dietz, our baker, has added to his establishment an ice cream parlor and will be ready to sell cream on and after Friday, May 14th. Remember, not only on Saturday, but every day in the week. If you are desirous of having some of the best cream ever made in Howard just call at his bakery and give it a trial.

Our old paper, the Weekly Hornet, we are informed, will soon resume publication. We think that if some of the old subscribers of the Hornet would pay up it would be but a few days until it would be in operation.

Happily Wedded.

A very pretty wedding took place at Lima, Ohio, Wednesday may 5th, in which the contracting parties were Miss A. Rosamond McKibben, one of Bellefontes model young ladies and Mr. P. Ainsworth Kale, a promising and well to do young lawyer, of the above place.

The ceremony took place at the home of the Brides brother, Mr. C. W. McKibben, at Lima, Ohio. Promptly at 8 p. m. they took their places for the ceremony, to the beautiful music of the wedding march, as played by Miss Mamie Peale, of that city. The bride looked very beautiful in a costume of delicate blue organdy, and carried a handsome bouquet of brides roses. The groom was dressed in conventional black and looked manly and handsome.

Immediately following the ceremony a splendid supper was served in five courses, after which the happy couple were driven to their future home, No. 206 S. Cole street, where they will remain until June. Mr. Kale not being able to leave his business at present, when they will make happy the brides parents, by their presence in this place.

The bride is well known and popular in Bellefonte society, and is a step-daughter of Ira C. Mitchell Esq.

Hydrophobia in Bellefonte.

Genuine hydrophobia has developed in Bellefonte and it is well for the public to know this, especially owners of dogs. Several weeks ago a dog belonging to Johnny Caldwell showed unmistakable signs of going mad; it was finally shot, but not until it had inoculated with the dread disease several other dogs and two or three cats by biting them. One of the dogs belonged to Chas. Levy, two to Samuel Gueiswhite and one to Joshua Folk. All four dogs developed hydrophobia and were shot; the last one, belonging to Mr. Folk, was shot Sunday. Other dogs in town are known to have been bitten, so if you see a dog coming in your direction, with his head down, and his tail between his legs, give him a wide berth.

GOLDEN EAGLES SOAR

How They Went in the Air at Harrisburg Yesterday.

THEIR MISSION AND OBJECT

Welcomed by Gov. Hastings—Interesting Exercises Held in the Opera House—2,500 Men in Line in the Street Parade.

HARRISBURG, May 11.—The state capital is crowded to-night with Knights of the Golden Eagle from every section of Pennsylvania. Their mission is to attend the annual state convention of the order, which will be in session the next three days. Public exercises were held this morning and evening at the opera house in the presence of large gatherings. The feature of the day was a street parade this afternoon in which 2,500 knights and about fifty ladies, members of the women's auxiliary of the order, took part. The procession was reviewed by members of the legislature from Grace church, and by Governor Hastings and other state officials and ladies from the executive mansion. The day's exercise closed to-night with a banquet and ball at the City Gray's armory, to which members only were admitted.

A fine portait was presented to Lieutenant Generarl H. P. Reinicke, of Philadelphia, commander of the military branch of the order.

The morning exercises consisted of music by the Commonwealth band, Harrisburg; greeting, Governor Hastings; response, Grand Chief L. H. Tobin, grand chief of Pennsylvania; welcome, Mayor J. D. Patterson, of Harrisburg; response, Past Supreme Chief C. B. Wood, of Williamsport.

The order of the evening exercises follows: Music, Commonwealth orchestra; address, "Our Order." Grand High Priest John C. McKinney, of Philadelphia; duet, Knauss sistsers, of Philadelphia; address, "Our Temples," Mrs. Josie Y. Walter, grand guardian of records; music, orchestra humorous remarks, Brother F. H. Hoy, of Harrisburg; address, Past Chief H. Koons, of Harrisburg; music, weber's orchestra, Harrisburg; awarding of prizes, Captain J. B. Hutchison, of Harrisburg.

A short session of the grand castle was held this afternoon at which degrees were bestowed on all past officers. The third annual session of the ladies temple, the auxiliary to the grand castle, was opened in Odd Fellows hall by Grand Templar Mrs. Lizzie Turner with ninety-five others.

The past templar's degree was conferred on the grand past templars by G. G. of E. elect Mrs. Anna Kerr, P. G. T, Mrs. A. C. Lyttle, G. P. Mrs. Chinnick.

After this business the grand templar declared a recess until Wednesday morning.

Trout Fishing.

A special from Bellefonte to the Public Ledger, says : The luck which has attended the anglers in this county the past week most effectually bears out the predictions made from here prior to the opening of the season and repeated on the various catches since. Not less than 1,000 trout have been taken from the streams in this locality the past six days, and of such fair size were they that a safe estimate on the weight of the number would place the aggregate at not less than from 150 to 175 pounds of trout. Pretty good for Centre county streams when reports from almost every other part of the state are very discouraging.

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Nation's Largest Flag Pole.

DOYLESTOWN, Pa., May 11.—The largest flag pole in the United States—over 176 feet long and thirty inches in diameter at the axe—will soon be erected in Doylestown. Dr. Swanzlander had it made at a cost of $1,000 by David Baird, of camden, N. J. The doctor, to whom it will be shipped in a few days, will present it to the town.

40 Gems, 10 Cents.

Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills cure all troubles arising from torpor of the liver. Easy and quick—Banish Sick Headache—Purify the blood and eradicate all impurities from the system. The demand is big. The pills are little, easy to take pleasant results, no pain. 40 in a vial. 10 cents.

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The Pittsburg and Eastern.

The Carnegie railroad, known as the Bessimer and Lake Erie, is to be completed this summer. Work will be pushed at once on the Pittsburg and Eastern which will connect the Beech Creek with the new line either at some point in Butler county or complete the circuit of the Pittsburg coal and manufacturing region by uniting with the Pittsburg, McKeesport and Youghiogheny road, near West Newton, on the Youghiogheny, in Westmoreland county.

It is now stated that the eastern connection will surely be made during 1897, and if the times brighten or there appears to be any evidence of a reaction in trade, work will be begun without waiting for the completion of the Carnegie link. With the completion of the Pittsburg and Eastern, over either route the distance between Pittsburg and tide water would be lessened over 60 miles. The grade will be such that tonnage could be moved at less than half the cost charged by other lines.

Chinese Diplomats Suspected.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 11.—The Secretary of the State Board of Health is in receipt of a telegram from Dr. A. T. Watt, superintendent of the Provincial Board of Health of Victoria, B. C., which reads as follows:

"Would advise that you keep under observation while passing through your territory the members of the Chinese Embassy, who were on board of the Empress of China, lately in quarantine at Williamshead. They left Vancouver Wednesday afternoon, going to New York via Montreal."

The Secretary of the State board has repeated the message to the Board of Health in New York City, where the party will eventually land.

The Secretary is of the opinion that no one of the Embassy is afflicted with a contagious disease. In view of the fact, however, that there was a disease on the steamer which brought the party to this country, it is deemed advisable to keep them under observation.

Duties and Pay of Fire Wardens.

The law approved on March 30, 1897, provides for the performance of the duties of fire wardens by township constables, and the latter are required to prevent the spread of forest fires by every means at command. The fire warden shall have full power and authority to call to his assistance any and all persons within his bailiwick, and upon refusal of any one so called upon to render such aid in extinguishing fires such persons shall be liable to a fine not exceeding $10, or imprisonment not exceeding thirty days. With this authority of the law back of him, the township constable should have little difficulty in extinguishing such forest fires as may result from accident and in preventing the starting of fires through carelessness or deliberate intent. The pay of fire wardens while in active discharge of their duties shall be 15 cents an hour and of his assistants 13 cents an hour.

CASTORIA.

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Annual Inspection.

Thursday morning, May 13th, at 8 o'clock, the annual inspection of the State College Battalion will take place. The inspection will be in charge of Major J. P. Sanger, Inspector General of the United States Army. He will be accompanied through the inspection by Captain Hugh S. Taylor, 1st Lieut. Geo. L. Jackson, 2d Lieut. Chas. S. Taylor, all of Co. B, Fifth Regiment, and First Assistant Surgeon, Dr. Robert G. H. Hayes, of Fifth Regiment.

Mr. C. E. Hurlburt Goes to Africa.

Mr. Chas E. Hurlburt of Philadelphia, formerly of this place and at one time State Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association's of Pennsylvania, has gone to Africa in the interest of a missionary work there with which he is identified. Mr. Hurlburt is well known to many of our people, as being a man thoroughly consecrated to the work of the Master. The prayers of many go with him, that his efforts in this missionary work will be crowned with success.

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WHEN I HAVE TIME.

When I have time so many things I'll do
To make life happier and more fair
For those whose lives are crowded now with care.
I'll help to lift them from their low despair
When I have time.

When I have time, the friend I love so well
Shall know no more these weary, toiling days
I'll lead her feet in pleasant paths always,
And cheer her heart with words of sweetest praise,
When I have time.

When you have time! The friend you hold so dear
May be beyond the reach of all your sweet intent;
May never know that you so kindly meant
To fill her life with sweet content,
When You had time.

Now is the time! Ah, friend, no longer wait
To scatter loving smiles and words of cheer
To those around whose lives are now so dear,
They may not meet you in the coming year—
Now is the time.

—The Indianapolis News.

LOVE IN A MINOR KEY

The inhabitants of Harplestowe had ceased to discuss Hannah Fletcher's questionable position toward her lodger, and any interest attached to her unconventional attitude had quietly fizzled out along with her meagre claims to beauty. When the world had gone well with Hannah, and she had possessed the irritable devotion of an invalid mother and the undivided love of a selfish father, she had worn modestly the good looks which belong to a middle class young woman who enjoys excellent health and a wholesome temperament. Now the light in her abundant hair and her bright color had died for want of vital sustenance, and her rather prominent features had bleakened with the unresting struggle for existence. A stranger would not trouble to question if her unsympathetic manner was the result or the cause of an unsatisfied existence.

Hannah Fletcher had spent the best years of her youth subduing the passions and emotions which make a beautiful woman irresistible, but she had not studied her own ugliness and mastered it, as some women do. A plain woman's battle in life is defying her own ugliness.

Hannah's lodger was, it is true, an "elderly party," so the maid-of-all-work described him, "always messing about with them chemistry fizzicks; 'e's wonderful clever, but it don't bring in no money, and if it wasn't that Miss Hannah was a bit sweet on him sh'd 'ave cleared 'im out along with his rubbishing smell long ago." Hannah was a "bit sweet" on the "elderly party." When her mother and father had died, her lodger had not given a thought to the fact that, for the girl's reputation in the village, it would be advisable for him to leave his comfortable quarters. Hannah had grown necessary to him in his work, and he had learned to depend on her as a man of powerful intellect grows to depend on a practical woman with an intelligent brain, who is his daily and hourly companion. Habit is stronger in men than in women. Five or six years had passed since her parents' death, bringing little or no change into Hannah's life. She slaved and toiled and pinched for the "elderly party," who was too self-centred to guess at the true extent of her poverty. He was casual about his payments, and she would never remind him. To brighten up her room and bring a little pleasure into her day, he would now and then go out and bring her home an extravagantly beautiful bunch of flowers, or a pair of palms, and present them to her with a touching enthusiasm for his own generosity and thoughtfulness. Her practical mind would fly with a woman's quickness of thought to the four months' rent which was still unpaid; but only a feeling of tenderness for his eccentricities would come over her, and she hugged to her heart the thought that she could help him in his work by waiting for the over-due rent.

He was poor, and his income would have barely covered the modest necessities of his simple life if he had devoted it to them, but "he spends all his money on them messes and inventing things as aren't no use to no one," as Arabella remarked when he overlooked her tip one Christmas day; "I ain't got no use for the like of his sort." Clothes he never bought, and Hannah, with a beautiful regard for the feeling of the man she loved, stitched and mended and patched, and bit by bit replaced his worn and shabby wardrobe. She was careful never to put into his room any new garment she had made until the ruthless laundress had robbed it of its newness. Then she would substitute it for one which was beyond even her clever needlecraft to mend, and the "elderly party" would put on a new shirt or wear the new socks without the slightest suspicion that the familiar patches and darns were missing. He acted as intellectual food and nourishment to her starved brain, and she became the practical part of his unevenly balanced character, which nature had left wanting.

One day the peace of Hannah's life was broken by the coming of a cousin, an orphan like herself, who had written and asked Hannah to give her a home while she looked for work. Hannah wrote and welcomed her with bitter misgivings at heart. She had to toil night and day to make money to pay for food enough for herself and her lodger.

Madeline came, and like a hot wind passing over a sensitive plant she withered up Hannah's courage. She was young, and the beauty of her animal health was startling. She stood in Hannah's humble parlor in the noonday sunlight, straight as a young palm tree, and beautiful in symmetry, a pulsing, tingling piece of flesh and blood, colored like a pale pink peony.

Weeks passed into months, and Madeline had planted herself firmly in the house. Hannah could not turn her out, and she never suggested going, and never made any serious attempt to get work. Her orphan and penniless condition served her as a useful means of appealing to the sympathy of the "elderly party." As time went on, Hannah saw less and less of her lodger, her cousin appropriated as her charge his study and laboratory, and it was bitterness and gall to Hannah to see her administer to him all the little attentions which she had been wont to perform.

Hannah, with her heart smarting at the bitter injustice of things, could not tell her that she was day by day robbing her of all that made life bearable.

And as, when a woman is particularly busy, a man generally thinks she is "fussing," and choosing to do something totally unnecessary, the "elderly party" came to look upon it as quite natural that Madaline should be his hourly companion, and that she should sit in an easy chair while Hannah, hot and weary in mind and body, should toil and strive for them both.

After Madaline had been with them three months Hannah's lodger came into a fortune. It was not a large one, but it would enable him to live in ease and comfort for the rest of his life. When Hannah heard the good news, what she dreaded most did not happen. He did not suggest moving into more luxurious lodgings; he seemed to consider himself a fixture in the wainscoted room with its cottage window and old oak floor; but he bought more pretty plants and fresh hothouse flowers, which Madaline now accepted with a blush and prettiness that sent his blood coursing through his veins.

One morning, when Hannah was ironing, with the table piled high in well bleached linen, the "elderly party" came into the kitchen with Madaline. He walked straight up to where Hannah stood, with her hot face bent over the steaming shirt, and drew Madaline forward.

"Hannah, your cousin has promised to marry me. She is young and beautiful, and I am only a plain scholar, but I will do my best to make her a good husband."

As if it had been thrust through her body with the point of a bayonet, each word went to Hannah's heart. It ceased beating. Madaline, of course, knew why her cousin had so suddenly fainted, and the poor little bit of triumph made her heart beat quicker, but when she looked up at her lover his face was pale with fear. She saw a look of agony in his eyes as he turned them to her for help, which told her that she did not possess the heart of the scholar so completely as she thought, and the devil in her was roused.

"Oh, you need not be so alarmed; she has fainted through sheer jealousy."

For one moment he stood transfixed; all that he had been blind to for years was made plain to him now, and in that moment he recognized the heartlessness of the woman he had proposed to only ten minutes ago.

"Are you a woman to tell a woman's secret and make light of it?"

Madaline was frightened at the look of scorn and contempt in his eyes, which had always looked at her so gently. She stood at bay, and watched his trembling hands sprinkling Hannah's face with the cold water she had used for sprinkling the linen. It was kept in a small white bowl on the ironing table.

"I've not said anything that the whole village does not know, Arabella included, that Hannah Fletcher has been waiting to marry her lodger for the last ten years."

"Then, by God, I'll marry her now. I love her, I tell you." He chafed the pale cheeks, and rubbed the thin hands. "I've always loved her. Oh, my God, Oh, my God, what a selfish fool I have been!"

"You loved me but ten minutes ago. For a simple scholar you are wonderfully quick in love."

"Ten minutes ago I did not know that it was Hannah I loved as a man ought to love the woman he marries. Your beauty deceived me into believing that I loved you. I had not given thought to love until you came. I ask your forgiveness."

Tears, which were always ready, came into her blue eyes at the harsh words he had spoken, but she knew that they were true. She had no love for the grave and elderly scholar; he was to be her refuge from work, and she loved ease. She stood for a moment or two and watched returning consciousness quiver over Hannah's pale face, and then she turned to go.

"After all, Hannah is growing old, and she has been good to me. I will not rob her of her elderly lover."

A lover was waiting for Madaline half a mile out of the village. He was a provision dealer, and Madaline would have preferred being the wife of a scholar.—The Queen.

The First English Duke.

Of the five titles of nobility in England, the highest in rank and honor is that of Duke. It is the first title of dignity of the royal family, but not the highest in antiquity. There is no proof of its being used in England before it was introduced by Edward III., about a year before he himself assumed the title of King of France. Edward, the renowned Black Prince, was created Duke of Cornwall, and he was the first Duke in England after William the Conqueror. After this creation the title of Duke was frequently given, especially to members of the royal family.—Harper's Round Table.

Cobwigger—Poor Waggs! He was a most genial soul.

Merritt—Yes, indeed he was. The only thing he ever took seriously was the cold that killed him.—New York Journal.

MRS. BEECHER'S GREAT LOVE.

Her Affection for Her Husband that Endured Until Her Own Death.

In preaching Mrs. Beecher's funeral sermon in Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, Rev. Dr. Abbott, who knew her well, said: "Her life could be summed in a word, 'Faithfulness,'" and that if he were asked to put an appropriate text upon her tombstone it would be: "Love is Stronger than Death."

Very few women have exemplified the rare fidelity of which she gave proof and the steadfast love which she bore. Her regard and affection were not lightly given; but, once won, they were true and enduring—always to be relied upon without diminution.

From when, as a young girl at the home of her parents, she first met Henry Ward Beecher in her 18th year to her marriage with him seven years later, during which period she resisted opposition to her wedding a penniless student, to her following him to their first home in Lawrenceburg, where they arrived with less than $1 in their possession, she showed the same unswerving devotion, and during the ten years of their western life, which were filled with many hardships, she was the faithful wife, wonderfully ingenious in covering up the bare spots and making $1 do duty for $5. This was an enormous advantage to the brilliant young preacher, whose impediments by her loving care were smoothed from his pathway, leaving a clearer field for his progress. After ten years of hardship in the West, she reached Brooklyn with her husband, who had been newly called to Plymouth Church as its pastor. Here, for the first time since her marriage, the full sunshine of comfort and prosperity shone upon Mrs. Beecher. Honor, wealth, the power to gratify desires, were hers, and above all her loved husband, who, from the first, was to her a great genius among men, was now so acknowledged and recognized by all who knew him.

Mrs. Beecher entertained many distinguished guests at her home. She assisted her husband wisely and efficiently in his undertakings. In the hour of the nation's need—the civil war—while his burning words were inducing the enlistment of regiments to assist the government in its peril, she was diligently employed in the effort to equip and subsist them until they were mustered into service. While he pleaded for the freedom of the slaves she was assisting to the best of her ability. When the day of Mr. Beecher's supreme trial came, the scandal that cost him so dear, his wife proved that calumny could not shake her opinion of his goodness. Mrs. Beecher looked into the subject, believed in her husband and loyally took her stand by his side, assisting his defense with all the force of her steadfast nature. During the period of that long trial in the Brooklyn city court (occupying about 150 days), she sat by her husband, her faith in him unshaken to the last. Well might Dr. Abbott say, as he did while conducting the services over her remains, "If I were asked to put an appropriate text upon her tombstone it would be: 'Love is Stronger than Death.'" Unchanged and unchangeable, her credence survived shocks that must have wrecked that of one less faithful, and her love, which knew no waning, was stronger than death.

Everything in her little house was a memento of her husband. His pictures were on every hand, with other relics of their happy married life. In her eighty-fourth year it was her craving desire to visit and spend her coming birthday with her son Herbert and his family at Port Townsend, Washington, but how to accomplish this object was the perplexing question. A way was found, however, through the kindness of great-hearted men in Chicago, who, admiring Mrs. Beecher's many excellencies of character displayed in her long life, arranged the trips and return from ocean to ocean, that she might, as she pathetically said, "once more see her 'gray-haired baby boy,'" of whom she was passionately fond.

The longing of the venerable mother for a last sight—last words with her child coming to the knowledge of H. H. Kohlsaat, he at once procured transportation by rail for herself and attendant, while P. D. Armour arranged for the accommodation in sleeping coaches. Her trip was a free will offering spontaneously given. It cost her nothing from her purse, everything being provided. For this her great gratitude to Chicago could not be adequately expressed. Of those friends who courteously enabled her to gratify the mother-longing in this last visit to her son she spoke or wrote most gratefully, while power remained for her to do so, to the last day of her life.

Coining Jokes.

This is a common and very legitimate figure of speech as applied to the labors of burlesque writers and contributors to comic periodicals; but there is an instance in which a joke was actually coined, struck from a graven die, and issued from a legal mint. The fact is historical, and is as follows:

In the year 1679 the Danes advanced with a large force upon Hamburg, but after a siege of considerable duration, seeing little hope of ultimate success, they finally withdrew and marched back.

Thereupon the Hamburgers caused a medal to be struck in commemoration of the event. In one side of this numismatic curiosity was this inscription:

"The King of Denmark came before Hamburg. What he gained by it will be seen on the other side."

On the other side was a total blank.—Golden Days.

MAKING A LAST STAND

Beaten to the Last Point the Greeks Still Hold Out.

WON VICTORIES AND THEN LEFT

Behaved Well, Won Out and Then Retreated Instead of Sticking on the Ragged Edge of Hope.

PHARSALA, Headquarters of the Greek Army in Thessaly, May 5.—(Delayed in Transmission).—The Greeks claim a decisive battle in the fighting which has taken place here and at Velestino to-day. The Greek line was attacked by a strong Turkish force of 20,000 infantry, and in addition to large forces of artillery and cavalry.

The Greek right wing was in command of Colonel Mavromichaels and the left wing was commanded by Colonel Makris. Both the Greek wings repulsed the Turks with great slaughter.

The railroad station was destroyed by Turkish shells and railway communication between this point and Volo was interrupted.

It is estimated that two thousand Turks were killed at Velestino. The enemy also abandoned a large number of guns. Preparations are being made with the utmost activity for the decisive battle, which seems inevitable for to-morrow. The cheering from the Greek camp can be clearly heard from here. The morale of the Greek forces is now all that could be desired.

A number of Turkish shells fell in the town during the engagement, which was fiercely contested by both sides.

The Greek artillery occupied a better position than the guns of the Turks, and was well served.

Full credit is given to General Smolenski for the victory at Velestino, and in some quarters it is claimed that the Turks have been finally repulsed in that direction.

This belief, however, is not general.

General Smolenski's victory was the occasion for great rejoicing here. When the news was received the Greek troops cheered long and enthusiastically, apparently overlooking past reverses and being anxious for another brush with the enemy.

Prince Constantine telegraphed his congratulations to General Smolenski and received a reply from the Greek commander, saying:

"Our success has been very brilliant; thanks to the courage of the men. But it is by God's help that we have repelled the enemy."

The Crown Prince has issued an army order congratulating the troops upon having shown themselves worthy of the trust reposed in them by the country.

The bravery displayed by Crown Prince Constantine and his brother, Prince Nicholas, yesterday, has had a good effect upon the troops. But there was considerable resentment felt among the Greeks against their officers in general.

Cipriani in Hiding.

ROME, May 7.—A dispatch from Athens to-day announces that Sig. Cipriani, the Italian Socialist leader, who headed the first detachment of Italian volunteers which crossed the Greek frontier into Macedonia, and who subsequently disbanded his followers in disgust and returned to Athens, has been arrested at the Greek capitol for inciting the recent demonstration against the royal family. Cipriani, however, was rescued by a mob from the hands of the police, and is now in hiding. If he does not succeed in escaping from Athens, he will be rearrested and expelled, if the local authorities have their way.

Actress' Suit for Divorce.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Trial of the suit for divorce by Mrs. Luther G. Gadd against her husband was begun in Newark to-day. They were married in 1887, and separated in 1894. Mrs. Gadd alleges that her husband was guilty of improper conduct with a woman in Hartford. Gadd is President of the Republic and Savings Loan Association of Newark; President of the Eastern Building and Loan Association of Philadelphia, and general manager of the United States Building and Loan Bank of this city. Mrs. Gadd testified that her husband's income was about $50,000 a year. After the seperation Mrs. Gadd became an actress.

Dyspepsia.

You have tried "77" for Grip and colds—now try "10" for Dyspepsia. For sale by all druggists—25c.

Governor Hastings talks with good sense on the subject of providing a dress uniform for the National Guard of Pennsylvania. When he was Adjutant General he took steps looking to such an equipment, and would have had entire success with the proposition had it not been for an unfortunate accident by which important revenue legislation of that year was defeated.

Some of the officers of the guard have always favored the utmost simplicity in these matters. They have contended that it was the proper thing to use the service uniform on all occasions, that it was more soldierly, and since the National Guard organization is maintained as a security to property and for the public peace it would gain nothing from being fitted out in a dress uniform which it would have no use for in time of real service. If this contention is sound and sufficient it seems to us the guard ought not be brought out for anything but camp duty and work, and such emergency as may demand it, like the Homestead affair. In such event there could possibly be no need of anything but the very useful and proper uniform which the men already have.

But the guard, as every one knows, is often paraded, not only here, but elsewhere. It has rarely missed a Presidential inauguration at Washington, and within the past ten years either the whole division or a part of it has been paraded in New York city no less than three times. It is time to stop this participation in parades or to dress the men in a uniform suitable to such occasions. In the opinion of some the parades are of little advantage. This is a wrong view. It is a good discipline to have the different commands brought together. It assists to perfect them in their drill and ought to help in their discipline. The moving of considerable bodies of troops from one point to another is an advantage which no one can afford to overlook. It is an important part of the education of the soldier. The men themselves find these periodical parades one of the real attractions of their service.

If however, the guard is to be paraded in the future as it has been in the past the State ought to treat it very differently. It should not only have a suitable uniform for the purpose, but the State should make a proper appropriation for the occasion These various movements have been made without any expense to the State. The whole division has been taken to Washington without the expenditure of a dollar from the public treasury for the purpose. The trip to New York last week was made without cost to the State, the men not being supplied with so much as a sandwich. This does not seem dignified for a great commonwealth, and it is made all the worse by the fact that the men have to appear on these brilliant occasions in the same uniform they would wear if engaged in suppressing a riot.

The State can afford to change its policy in this respect. The men would be no less soldiers if they were given dress uniforms to wear when it is proper to wear them. The United States regular troops have all that. Nobody has ever suggested that it detracted from their soldierly quality or appearance.—Philadelphia Press.

Result of Church Taxation.

From the Baltimore Sun.

The San Francisco Call says that the taxation of churches, colleges, and all benevolent institutions for the last twenty years in California has resulted in repressing charity, in turning many gifts to institutions outside of the State, in placing heavy burdens on private educational enterprises, and crippling many others. Little encouragement is furnished for the maintenance of libraries, art galleries, and museums. It is further declared that there is no State in the Union with such poor churches as are found in California, with an average tax of more than $10 a month upon each.

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SMASHED BY A BIG ROCK.

Several Passengers Injured on a Chicago and Alton Train.

CHICAGO, May 6.—A ponderous rock, weighing ten tons, while being swung from a flat car, crashed through the sides of two cars on a west-bound Chicago and Alton passenger train on Tuesday, wrecking the cars and injuring a number of people. The injured are:

Alice Hayes, San Antonia, Tex., hand cut and body bruised.

Mrs. O. B. Wilson, Chicago, nervous prostration from fright.

Dr. G. R. Van Horne, Rockford, Ill., back seriously strained.

T. J. Murphy, Chicago, cut about the head.

Mrs. James Mills, Lincoln, head and hands cut; face bruised.

Firemen's Relief Association.

The firemen of Bellefonte have banded themselves together in an organization to be known as "The Firemen's Relief Association." The purpose of the order is to pay benefits to firemen injured in the discharge of their duty. They are regularly incorporated, a charter having been granted them by the court April 28th, 1897.

A certain per centage of all insurance written in this town is to be paid into the treasury of this association. The following named are the officers: President, P. H. Geherty; Vice President, Thos. Shaughensey, Jr.; Secretary, Frank Williams; Treasurer, Joseph Wise; Directors, H. J. Jackson, F. C. Waltz, John A. McGinley. Wm. Royer, W. T. Hillibish, Wm. Rinesmith.

A Practical Joke.

Some wag, of Chester Hill, played a practical joke on the passengers of the late train on the Pennsy Saturday night. Steiner's is a flag station but a short distance south of Philipsburg and the train was stopped to let on a couple of passengers. The delay was longer than usual at such stations, and the joker taking advantage of the stop, began to call out "Free buss to the Continental;" "Right this way for the Potter House," and other cries that would have done justice to a half dozen first class porters. Old residents of Philipsburg were fooled and there was a scramble for bundles, satchels, umbrellas, etc. An old train man on the Moshannon branch, who had been at Osceola, and was a passenger down, reached the platform before he discovered the mistake. It was a joke well played, and would have done credit to the first of April. It was only a month late.—Clearfield Monitor.

What Presbytery Did.

At the recent meeting of Huntingdon Presbytery in Mifflintown, Rev. Christine was received from Northumberland Presbytery and accepted calls from Sinking Creek and Spring Mills.

Rev. W. O. Wright, of Milesburg, was elected one of the alternate ministerial commissioners to the general assembly.

A committee consisting of Elders Beaver, Harris and Rev. Jones visited the field at Hublersburg and decided upon a the advisability of disbanding the church. The church at Hindman was dissolved. The Fall meeting of Presbytery will be held at Pellwood.—Reporter.

A Murderer at Large.

TRENTON, N. J., May 6.—Louis Pheil, the convicted murderer of Christian Haiss, of Vineland, escaped from the Trenton insane asylum to-day and has thus far evaded capture. Pheil was sent to the asylum from penitentiary. Some persons believed that he feigned insanity in the prison so as to better his chance of escaping. Before being sent to the penitentiary Pheil threatened to kill his sister-in-law, who lives in Vineland, and also some court officials. It is feared he will attempt to carry his threat into execution.

For Insulting Spain.

CITY OF MEXICO, May 6.—A sensational arrest was made to-day of the entire editorial staff of the paper called El Continente Americano, which is the organ of the Mexican sympathizers with the Cuban insurgants, at the instignation of the Duke de Arcos, the Spanish Minister, who complains that the paper has insulted a friendly nation.

The editors are young Mexican students, and popular sympathy is with them. The arrest is causing much comment, but it could not be helped, as the Spanish Minister presented formal complaint, and, under the law, action had to be taken, but the outcome is watched with great interest. There will be no trouble in securing the ablest legal talent to defend the young editors.

—A genuine soldier may care nothing for gorgeous uniforms, but he may have had experience enough in military to satisfy him that to make good and prompt soldiers out of young men in the volunteer service without pay, comparatively speaking, they must have something attractive as well as hard work in the course of their service.

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The Militia Encampment.

The Pittsburg Times of yesterday morning says:

The annual encampmen tof the Second brigade, National Guard of Pennsylvania, will be held at Conneaut Lake, Crawford county, from July 10 to 18. This is the result of the tour of the officials who have been out hunting for a site.

General John A. Wiley, Colonel Norman M. Smith, Lieutenant Colonel Frank I. Rutledge, Colonel William J. Glenn, Colonel J. S. Krebs, Colonel Willis J. Hulings, Colonel T. H. Burchfield and Colonel Alexander L. Hawkins returned to Pittsburg last evening from their tour in search of an encampment location. They left here on Thursday and spent that day and Wednesday at Conneaut Lake, Girard and Erie. Yesterday looked at a few other places that had been suggested, including Indiana. They came from Indiana to Pittsburg last night.

The officials are all impressed with the beauty and suitability of Conneaut Lake for the encampment, and that is where it will be held, though the official announcement has not yet been made.

Twice before the brigade has held its annual encampment at that place, though not on the spot selected for this year. The last encampment held at the lake was five years ago, and there was then some dissatisfaction about the grounds. Then the tents were pitched on the east side of the lake. Thursday General Wiley took the officers to a tract of land on the west side, which is beautifully situated, large enough and in every way situated for the purpose. The railroad company made the state liberal offers to secure the encampment for this place. The company agrees to run a switch to the camp grounds on the west side, and to furnish all the ice and lumber the brigade will require, free of charge.

While General Wiley was perhaps the most enthusiastic advocate of Conneaut Lake at the start, all the officials came home satisfied that no place equals it within easy reach of the different regiments of the brigade. General Wiley left for his home in Franklin last evening. The other officers living out of the city also left for their homes.

Accident at Tyrone.

A serious accident occured at the round house in the Tyrone division railroad Wednesday afternoon. John T. Reamy and George I. McCachren, carpenters were working on a scaffold in what is called the tunnel in the round house, when that portion of the structure upon which they were standing gave way. Mr. Reamy was suddenly precipitated to the floor below, a distance of about twenty feet. He alighted so as to bring much of his weight on his hands. Both wrists were dislocated. The coating of the stomach was torn by one of the hip bones, which was pressed inward when he fell. Mr. Reamy also sustained a cut above the right eye, and was otherwise bruised and cut. As Mr. McCachren was in the act of falling he grabbed a projecting bolt and held to it until he was relieved from the unpleasant situation. He was not hurt.

Garroted on a Pier.

NORFOLK, Va., May 7.—The most daring highway robbery probably ever recorded in Virginia took place this afternoon on the Bay Line pier in portsmouth, when Isaac Simon, a Russian, was garroted by one of the highwaymen, while the other went through him and secured $119 in cash, which he had in his inside vest pocket. All this happened in broad daylight on a crowded pier, and within a stone's throw of the Portsmouth police station. The bold robbers escaped, and as yet have not been apprehended. They are thought to have taken the steamer for Baltimore. The robbery was executed by experts, and was done without attracting attention.

Base Ball Games Wednesday

The Nation League games Wednesday resulted as follows:

Pittsburg 7, Cincinnati 6.
Brooklyn 5, New York 7.
Boston 4, Washington 0.
Cleveland 6, Chicago 5.
Louisville 11, St. Louis 7.
Phildelphia 11, Baltimore 13.

Money Cabled to Aid Greeks.

NEW YORK, May 7.—Mrs. Theodore Raili, Treasurer of the Greek Ladies' Committee, sent by cable to-day $1,000 to the committee at Athens. This makes a total of $3,000 sent by this committee to aid the Greeks in their struggle against the Turks.

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THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

How Two Firms That Know Look Upon the Future.

SOME FAVORABLE SIGNS SEEN

A Decrease in Western Floods and a Better Demand for Staples Means More Activity in Many of the States.

NEW YORK, May 7.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Nearly all will be astonished to learn that actual sales in April by leading houses in each line of business in the principal cities east of the Rocky mountains average only about 10 per cent. less than in April, 1892, the year of largest business hitherto, and were 6.1 per cent. more than in the same month last year. Yet this is the summary of 357 reports, each covering actual sales of leading merchants in a line of business in one of fourteen cities. They are especially encouraging in view of the great fall of prices within the five years and the exceptional floods and other retarding influences this year.

While speculative business in nearly all lines is small and business does not swell clearing house returns as in previous years, the volume of legitimate trade shows no corresponding decrease, and the fact is one of the highest importance in all business calculations. Moreover, returns of failures for April by branches of business, given only by the mercantile agency, show decrease in number, amount and average of liabilities in almost every branch of trade and in nearly all branches of manufacture except cotton, although failures of five New Bedford mills for $7,990,734 make the total defaulted liabilities for the month 40 per cent. larger than last year.

Crop prospects are a little better for cotton because of the passing of floods and the increase of acreage elsewhere, and for spring wheat because the customary accounts of injury to winter wheat begin to appear and stimulate larger sowing of spring wheat as usual.

The demand for cotton goods has not met expectations. The same is true of woolen manufacture in many branches, for order and sales thus far do not call for as large production as appears, though it is yet much below the maximum, but the increasing demand has been encouraging.

The anticipation of better prices and great increase in demand pushed production so far in iron and steel manufacture that four furnaces in Eastern Pennsylvania and others in the Pittsburg region and Ohio have stopped. Bessemer pig at Pittsburg has declined to $9.40 and Grey Forge to $8.40, pressure to sell billets lowers them to $14, tank steel plates have sold below one cent, and common bars at 90 cents per one hundred pounds, with black sheets in light demand at $1.80 for No. 27. Yet the structural works are well employed on old orders with others coming in, one of 20,000 tons for the Montreal bridge, and others at the east and at Chicago.

Rail works are all busy on orders taken months ago, though there are efforts to revive the pool. One contract for 10,000 tons steel plates is reported and some of the tin plate works are sold ahead for the year.

Failures for the past week have been 221 in the United States against 238 last year, and 36 in Canada against 24 last year.

Will Make a Fine Showing.

Company B boys are working hard, in order to present a fine showing at Philadelphia, on the 15th, and from all appearances they are going to do so. Under the capable direction of such officers as Capt. H. S. Taylor and Lieutenants George L. Jackson and Charles Taylor, it is hard to see how they can help taking the highest rank in the 5th regiment. Friday they gave an exhibition drill on the streets of our town, headed by the Coleville band. It was witnessed by hundreds of people, and many favorable comments were made, on the splendid drilling and fine soldierly appearance, which the boys presented.

A PRESIDENT'S LOVE.

ANDREW JOHNSON'S COURTSHIP OF MISS SARAH WORD

She Rejected the Future Chief Magistrate for a Saddler.—He was not Illiterate when Young, but to the Contrary was Exceptionally Intelligent.

Three-quarters of a century ago, in the little village of Laurens, in the State of South Carolina, there lived and labored at the tailor's trade a young man who was destined to play an important part in the affairs of this Nation. Of humble origin and having had practically no educational advantages, he had in his character the elements of true manhood, and by force of brain power and ability attained the highest position of honor and trust in the Republic

Andrew Johnson left his home in North Carolina by reason of some trouble with his employer, and went to the then ultra-exclusive and aristocratic village of Laurens. He had no influential family connections, and was as poor as the traditional church mouse, his worldly possessions consisting only of the clothes he wore. To one acquainted with the social conditions of the ante-bellum South, the difficulties incident to obtaining recognition by a man handicapped as Johnson was can be readily imagined. The sterling worth of the young tailor, however, made itself felt, and demanded the admiration and respect soon accorded him by those who were wont to consider one not to the manor born deserving of but condescending notice.

Johnson's stay at Laurens marked a very important epoch in his life. It was there that he met his first love, Miss Sarah Word, a charming young woman of education and refinement, who saw in the modest and retiring young journeyman tailor, a man of character and strength and promise. Johnson's regard for Miss Word was reciprocated, and the young people entered into an engagement to marry. They were thrown constantly in each other's society, and the future President of the United States once assisted his fiancee in laying, stuffing and quilting a quilt.

The irresistible tendency that young men in love have to carve their sweethearts' names on everything movable and immovable in their immediate vicinity was not wanting in Johnson. On the bottom of an old split-bottomed chair he engraved the inscription "S. W.—1820." It is needless to say that it was the chair in which Miss Word was accustomed to sit on the porch of her home.

Having satisfactorily adjusted the trouble with his former employer in North Carolina, Johnson decided to return and resume his place. Before leaving Laurens, as a token of his affectionate regard, he gave to Miss Word his dearest possession, the goose with which he had worked at his trade. This act shows the tender simplicity of the young tailor. He had no false pride about the matter. He was leaving the woman he loved for an indefinite time, and not ashamed of his lowly calling, gave her something that would be a constant reminder of him and his work. After leaving Laurens differences arose between Miss Word and Johnson, and their engagement was terminated, but the tailor's goose was never returned. Miss Word rejected the tailor and married William Hance, a saddler. The tailor became President of the United States.

Johnson's biographers have all maintained that in early life he was uncouth, illiterate and ignorant, with no refinement nor grace of manner. It has been stated that he could neither read nor write, and that his wife taught him both after marriage. This error has become so firmly fixed that it is generally accepted as an historic fact, and school children are told the romantic story of how a man who afterward became President was taught to read and write by a wife who was ambitious for his advancement. This story may be a beautiful object lesson on the grand possibilities of American youth, but it has the fatal defect of being untrue. When Johnson lived in Laurens he could both read and write, and was considered a young man of considerable intelligence. Miss Word, to whom he was engaged, is authority for the statement, that she received many notes and letters from him, and that he wrote a good business hand. She has also frequently said that he was a man of more than ordinary intelligence, of elegant address and a brilliant conversationalist.—National Magazine.

Song Birds for Market in Italy.

Dr. Carl Landstriner, president of the Vienna Society for the Protection of Animals, says that in the large cities of Italy "huge piles of nightingales, larks, finches, and, of late, even swallows," are seen on the market stalls. These little creatures are caught by the wholesale in fowlers' nets during the fall of the year, when the birds are migrating to the south.

Matrimonial Business Rushing.

First Preacher—Doing much in the wedding trade now?

Second Preacher—Yes; business is good. People get married this year who never got married before.—Truth.

Miss Mobile—Well, Martha, how is your husband now?

Martha—Po'ly, miss, po'ly. He's got the exclamatory rheumatism.

Miss Mobile—You mean inflammatory rheumatism, Martha. "Exclamatory" is to cry out.

Martha (with solemn conviction)—"That's it, mum; that's it! He don't do nothing but holler!—Northern Chrostian Advocate.

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	511			1146	Sonestown.		854	250	
	620			1253	Satterfield.		758	145	
	735			330	Towanda...		645	1030	
	810			412	.....Sayre.....		610	1000	
				520	....Ithaca....			830	
				640	....Geneva....			700	
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Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN.				Nov. 16, 1896.		READ UP.		
No. 5	No. 3	No. 1				No. 2	No. 4	No. 6
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†7 45*	3 45	†7 20		Bellefonte		10 10	610	10 15
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8 05	4 03	7 41		Zion		9 50	5 51	9 56
8 12	4 08	7 46		Hecla Park		9 45	5 46	9 51
8 15	4 10	7 48		Dunkles		9 43	5 44	9 49
8 19	4 14	7 52		Hublersburg		9 39	5 40	9 45
8 23	4 18	7 56		Snydertown		9 35	5 37	9 41
8 25	4 20	7 58		Nittany		9 33	5 35	9 39
8 27	4 22	8 00		Huston		9 31	5 33	9 37
8 29	4 24	8 02		Lamar		9 29	5 31	9 35
8 31	4 26	8 04		Clintondale		9 26	5 29	9 32
8 36	4 31	8 09		Krider's S'n'g		9 21	5 24	9 28
8 42	4 37	8 16		Mackeyville		9 15	5 18	9 23
8 48	4 43	8 23		Cedar Springs		9 09	5 12	9 17
8 50	4 45	8 25		Salona		9 07	5 11	9 15
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9 30	9 45			Jersey Shore		4 30		
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5 08	7 10			PHILA		†8 35		*11 30
8 32	10 30			Atlantic City		7 00		5 30
6 45				NEW YORK (Via Tamaqua)		†4 30		
7 25	†9 30			NEW YORK (Via Phila)				†7 30
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College Mail.	Exp.	Accm.		Mail.	Exp.	Accm.
*5	†3	†1		*2	†4	†6
p m	a m	a m	Lv	Ar	a m	p m	p m
4 20	10 30	6 20	Bellefonte	8 50	2 10	6 45
4 26	10 37	6 37	Coleville	8 45	2 00	6 35
f4 30	f10 42	f6 40	Morris	f8 42	f1 55	f6 30
f4 33	f10 47	f6 44	Whitmer	f8 40	f1 47	f6 25
f4 38	f10 53	f6 50	Hunters	f8 36	f1 40	6 20
f4 41	f10 56	f6 53	Filmore	f8 33	f1 36	f6 17
f4 45	f11 02	f7 00	Briarly	f8 29	f1 30	f6 12
4 48	11 05	7 05	Waddle	8 25	f1 25	6 08
f4 50	f11 08	f7 08	Lambourn	f8 23	f1 22	f6 05
f5 00	f11 10	f7 17	Krumrine	f8 12	f1 07	f5 51
5 04	f11 33	f7 22	University Inn	f8 07	1 02	f5 47
5 05	11 35	7 23	State College	8 05	1 00	5 45
f5 10	f11 24	7 28	Struble	f7 50	f1 04	f5 30
f5 17		f7 34	Bloomsdorf	f7 45		f5 28
f5 20		7 40	Pine Grv Mills	740		5 20

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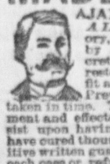

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The Heptasophs' Convention.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 6.—The sixth biennial conclave of the Improved Order of Heptasophs, which has been in session in this city the past three days, has been attended with much interest. The reports have shown the growth of the organization in the past two years from 21,000 to 34,000 and the payment of $838,400 in death benefits. At today's session the following officers were elected: Archon, Morris G. Cohen; provost, Olin Bryan; secretary, Samuel H. Tattersall; treasurer, Charles H. Ramsey; medical director, J. H. Christian; organizer, John U. Cruett; prelate, Charles A. Greer; inspector, Adolph Schmidt; warder, Joseph Neblit; sentinel, C. F. Worrillow; trustees, P. Y. Eishberg. S. W. Jones and C. Y. Doland; representatives, John G. Mitchell, Harris Goldman and G. Witherow.

The delegates have been royally entertained by the Louisville people.

Another Wheelman's Victory.

The League of American Wheelmen has won another signal victory at the meeting at New York. Yesterday the passenger committee of the Trunk Line association decided that bicycles would be considered personal baggage, except between United States and Canada. If this decision is approved and adopted it will mean that wheelmen have won a hard fight. The entire text of the resolution cannot be learned, but inasmuch as it means free transportation of wheels, it will be hailed with delight.

It has been the effort of wheelmen to secure the adoption of some such resolution by a traffic association, and on this meeting intense pressure was brought to bear. Another reason why all wheelmen should join the League.

Thankful.

"One week's work!"—The plumber paused in his examination of the pipe in the bathroom and fell on his knees with a cry of joy.

"And now I see my way clear."—He joyfully recall the fact that he was in the home of a millionaire.—"To Europe."

—Governor Black, of New York, has signed the greater New York bill and it is now a part of the law of the state. The new city which it creates will come into existence on January 1, 1898, and will rank next to London in population. It will contain an area of 306 square miles and 3,200,000 inhabitants.

The Homoeopathic Recorder,

July, 1896, says:

"These badly prepared cocoas are the ones that people 'get tired' of, something that rarely happens if a properly prepared cocoa, such as WALTER BAKER & COMPANY'S, is used. It is at once a delightful food and nourishing drink, and it would be well for humanity if there were more of it consumed and less tea or coffee."

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NEW YORK FASHIONS.

New Ideas in Shirts—Handwork—Yokes—Pointed Belts—Accordion—Plaited Grenadines Foulard Silks—Parasols.

In order to accommodate the trimming which is supposed to be essential, the front breadth of a stylish cloth skirt is much smaller than it has been for several seasons past, and around the hips the fit is as close as in the days of the bell skirt. Silks seem a neutral ground, particularly foulards which are made either close-fitting or very full, and a yoke effect in skirts is new and very becoming to stout persons. This is carried out by gathering the skirt on large cords, a little below the waist; or in many small, lengthwise tucks, sometimes shaped into points—this style, however, belongs only to lightweight materials.

WHERE TUCKS ARE USED

Around the hips, the same idea is illustrated on the waist and sleeves, and hand-work is now the most stylish ornamentation. Tiny black velvet bindings on colored organdy ruffles are held in high esteem, and on six or seven double ruffles, the work is something alarming. A trimming suitable for grenadine or hair-line striped silk, is wide lace insertion used as a band around the skirt, with another row brought down from the waist at each side of the front, and carried round to the back where four rows may run up to the waist. Sleeves and waist are trimmed to match, and a chiffon sash in harmony with the lining is a pretty addition.

THERE IS NOW A STRONG FANCY

For square or pointed yokes, (as waists or accessories), and tucked yokes are a pretty way of making silk suit waists, or a *revers*, shaped precisely like those worn two seasons ago, has come up again and may be edged with lace. Many Eton jackets open quite far up the back, over a species of lace or plaided silk bodice, and in this way pieces of silk or lace which have been lying by for a long time, if renovated with Ivory soap, come out fresh and bright, thus saving the expense of new material. Wide pointed belts are always a pretty accessory, and ribbon or chiffon sashes, usually tied at the side, adorn a light toilet.

ACCORDION—PLAITED

Or plain grenadines over colored linings are in especial favor, and nothing is prettier than white grenadine over green silk. Brocaded grenadines are so expensive that few can enjoy the privilege of such a costume; but any net-like fabric over a color, answers the purpose. Colored foulard silks are having a great run this season, and make an economical dress, as they require very little trimming (although a great deal may be used) and are in "all over" patterns which are advantageous in many ways. Blue, green, or brown rank first, then white and black.

IT CARRIES ONE BACK

A number of years to see a plain, gray silk dress trimmed with five or six rows of narrow black velvet around the lower edge of the skirt, and other rows simulating a pointed overskirt. Independent waists enjoy all their old-time favor, and foulard silks make most satisfactory waists, and plaided or checked silks as well; the last mentioned being a revival. Satin is also employed for independent waists. and very sheer colored organdy over silk or sateen is one of the season's fancies.

THE RAGE FOR ACCORDION—PLAITING

Has extended to parasols, which in this style are of soft silk, plaited throughout, or have plaited ruffles. A mixture of crimson and white is very pretty on parasols—a white band at the edge and a white top on crimson, or a crimson handle and top on a white parasol, and crimson ribbon over the ribs on the inside. "Red" hats have not appeared in the numbers that were anticipated, simply because people of refined taste dreaded the "loud" combinations which might ensue from the unlimited use of such a dangerous color. At the same time, when all the materials are fine, foliage is not used, and worn by the right people, they are really beautiful.

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Which is Now Pending in the Legislature a Benefit to all Buyers and Sellers of Small Capital or Income.

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There has been great prejudice against the chattel mortgage law, nevertheless, a chattel mortgage is a far more honest instrument or lien against property than the judgment note waving the exemption laws of Pennsylvania. A chattel mortgage is a lien against the property described within it, and provides for the sale of such property, in case it is not paid at maturity, in a much more humane manner than the judgment note waving the exemption laws of Pennsylvania. The chattel mortgage cannot be used to cheat, for the reason that it is a lien on the property purchased; but the judgment exemption note is used every day in the year in Pennsylvania with which to cheat honest creditors through the aid of preferred creditors, and the sooner that this chattel motgage law is enacted the sooner dishonest buyers will be deprived of their schemes by which they now cheat honest creditors. The judgment exemption note is entirely proper so long as it is honestly used, with which the chattel mortgage law does not propose to interfere; but it does propose to prevent, as far as possible, the dishonest use of this note in the hands of preferred creditors.

We add the following editorial from the *Philadelphia Press*, which is of interest on this subject:

A CHATTEL MORTGAGE LAW NEEDED.

It is a singular circumstance that Pennsylvania alone of the States which have inherited the common law of England does not recognize general chattel mortgages. Louisiana, whose law, based on the French civil code, differs from that in vogue in other States, is the only other State of the forty-five in which chattel mortgages are unknown. Indeed, it is not true that chattel mortgages are unknown in Pennsylvania, since the Legislature has authorized them on half a dozen species of property related to our mining, oil and lumber interests. Most chattels, however, cannot be legally mortgaged, though this incapacity is evaded to some extent by the device of conditional sales on the installment plan of payment.

Country merchants throughout Pennsylvania find this to be a disadvantage both to themselves and to their customers.

They cannot give credit as they would like to, as the law will not allow them to have a lien on the only available security which their customers have to offer. If a farmer wants a plow or a wagon and is able to make only a part payment at the beginning, why should he be denied the privilege of getting the plow or the wagon when he most needs it, pay what he can and give the seller a chattel mortgage for the remainder? He is put at once in possession of his property and begins to earn with it forthwith the money that will enable him to become its unencumbered owner in a few months. Both seller and buyer are profited by the transaction, which is made possible and safe by a law that permits the granting of credit by allowing the giving of security.

It is true that these credit transactions take place now, but at such risk and cost to the merchant that credit is not readily granted. The merchant who sells tools or implements on credit is now at the mercy of the purchaser. The latter by giving a judgment note with waiver of exemption to some preferred creditor or colluding relative can easily cheat the merchant who has sold him implements on credit but is allowed no lien for the unpaid balance on the article sold. This is wrong and should be remedied. It is for the interest of the farmers and of all men of limited resources who need occasional credit that they should be able to give legal security, and in no way can this be done so readily as by legalizing chattel mortgages. Forty-three States have done this already, and Pennsylvania, the forty-fourth, which still holds back, has done it in part. If chattel mortgages are a good thing to allow against iron ore, saw logs and petroleum, why not authorize them against other forms of personal property?

A bill is now before the Harrisburg Legislature to legalize such mortgages. Fraud is guarded against by requiring that the mortgages shall be recorded like real estate mortgages. We see no possible objection to the enactment of this bill, while the benefits are obvious. It might be termed a bill to give credit to buyers of small means by enabling the seller to retain a lien on the object purchased until paid for. There is no hardship or wrong in this. It is fair to both parties. Its passage would stop a very prevalent form of fraud and promote sales on credit by making them very much safer than at present.

An Important Test of Quality.

The quality of a newspaper, like that of an individual, is best determined by its bearing under circumstances that try its capacity. The gathering of the news of the Graeco-Turkish war is a case in point.

As soon as it became reasonably certain that there would be fighting "The Philadelphia Press" sent staff correspondents to the capitals of the countries involved.

In consequence "The Press" has had every day prompt, complete and accurate information of every move on each side of the conflict. No other Philadelphia paper has had this service and only a few other papers in the country have gone to the same trouble and expence. It is gratifying to note this new evidence that "The Philadelphia Press" neglects no opportunity to strengthen its position as Pennsylvania's greatest newspaper.

CASTORIA.

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Italy and the Dingley Bill.

ROME, May 10.—In the Chamber of Deputies to-day the Minister of Finance, Senor Luzzatti, replying to Count Della Rocca, said it would be a serious error to retaliate against the United States, since the Dingley bill permits a new convention. Italy, the minister added, will open negotiations to protect her exports, which include nearly all agricultural products. American imports, chiefly petroleum, he explained, are taxed 400 per cent., and the stock necessary for the manufactories of tobacco is bought by the governmen and it would not be practical to increas the duties upon these imports. They must await the actions of other countries whoses commerce with the United States is more important.

In spite of the tariff, Senor Luzzatti continued, Italy's commerce may increase and she should wait for the result of the experiment. In conclusion Senor Luzzatti assured the House that the government would devote every attention to the question and would carefully protect the commerce of the nation.

The Marquis di Rudini, Premier, said the government hoped to be able to negotiate further treaties beneficial to the export trade of Italy, and he was, therefore, not opposed to the denunciation of such existing treaties as were admittedly contrary to the interests of the country. But, he said, he could not agree with the view of the interpellator, Count de la Rocca, as to the maximum and minimum tariffs, adding that he was absolutely opposed to a policy of retaliation, which would surely be fatal to Italian commercial interests.

Many Lives Lost

LONDON, May 10.—A terrible explosion has taken place on the Isle of Man in the Snaefell lead mine. A large number of miners were entombed and it now seems certain that at least seventeen have been killed.

There is no Word so Full of Meaning

and about which such tender recollections cluster as that of "MOTHER"—she who watched our helpless infancy and guided our first tottering step. The life of every Expectant Mother is beset with danger.

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so assists Nature in the change taking place that the Expectant Mother is enabled to look forward without dread to the hour when she experiences the joy of **Motherhood.** It insures safety to both Mother and Child, and she is found stronger after than before confinement—in short, it "makes Childbirth easy," as so many have said. Don't be persuaded. Use nothing but

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"My wife suffered more in ten minutes with either of her other two children than she did altogether with her last, having previously used four bottles of "Mother's Friend." It is a blessing to anyone expecting to become a mother, says a customer." HENDERSON DALE, Carmi, Ill.

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Decoration Day Services at Milesburg

Dr. Geo L. Potter Post No. 261, G. A. R. of Milesburg Pa. will conduct the Memorial day services on May 29th at the time and place as follows via. At Messiah cemetery 3 miles north of Milesburg at 10 a. m. by the Post Comrade C. H. Else of Milesburg. A member of the Post will deliver the address.

At the same time a detail of the Post will decorate the soldiers' graves in Fairview cemetery 3 miles north of Roland. At 11, a. m. a detail of the Post will decorate the graves of soldiers in New Cemetery near Milesburg, Mr. Roy B. Mattern will deliver the address.

At 2 p. m. the Post will decorate the graves of soldiers in the old and new cemeteries at Roland, and the address will be delivered by Rev. Geo. King of Milesburg.

The closing ceremonies of the day will be at 4.30, p. m. in old cemetery at Milesburg, and Rev. Wm. A. Stephens of Bellefonte Pa. will deliver the address.

The Memorial sermon will be preached to the Post on May 23rd at 10.30 a. m. in the M. E. Church by Rev. Geo. King.

Post No. 261, lost two members by death during the year. S. B. Wyland, Feb'y. 7th 1897 and Jesse D. Rearick March 12th 1897. The relatives and friends of those deceased comrades are respectfully invited to attend the services on May 23rd.

S. K. WATSON, Commander.
A. G. RAGER, Adjutant.

Death in Nittany Valley.

On Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. Joseph Shafer died at her residence at the toll-gate, a few miles east of the Junction, after an illness of about four weeks from dropsy, aged 73 years. Mrs. Shafer, whose maiden name was Kate Grimm, was born in Snyder county, and was one of a family of thirteen. She was a sister to Reuben Grimm and Mrs. Nestlerode, of Madisonburg. A bereaved husband and two daughters, Mrs. E. Bartholomew, of Coburn, and Mrs. Sloat, of Aaronsburg, are left to mourn the loss of a devoted wife and mother. The remains were taken to Madisonburg for burial on Friday, services being held in the Lutheran church.—Reporter.

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A Wash For Carpets.

Dissolve 4 ounces of castile soap, or any pure make, in 4 quarts of boiling water. When cool, add 5 ounces of aqua ammonia, 2½ ounces of alcohol, same amount of glycerin and 2 ounces of ether. Cork tightly. To clean a carpet, use about a teacupful to a pail of water. To clean a soiled coat or black garment, use 2 tablespoonfuls to a pint of strong black coffee.

To remove grease spots, use without diluting.

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A LOCAL SMITHY.

Lays Aside His Hammer and Tongs to Discuss what to Him was a New Discovery.

If this discovery was unearthed by a blacksmith in Boston, Buffalo or Bradford we would not ask our readers to believe it, but when the mechanic is in Bellefonte there is no getting away from the truth. You can find Mr. Chas. Shearer at No. 23 Thomas street where, between the rings of his anvil, he will corroborate personally what is here made public. Mr. Shearer says:

"The trouble in my back started from a strain I received while shoeing a horse that was rather hard to handle. I have taken a number of kidney remedies and I have been treated by a number of physicians who told me my kidneys were out of gear, but they could do nothing for me. Besides being troubled with severe backaches the urine was very dark and I had severe headaches. I know they originated from my kidneys, for since I used Doan's Kidney Pills they have stopped. I saw a number of accounts of remarkable cures made by the old Quaker remedy and although I did not know any of the people I concluded to try them as sort of a venture. I sent to the Pharmacy of F. Potts Green for a box and commenced to use them. Colds used to effect me. I have contracted one since I ceased using them and notice no inconvenience. I have also done a great deal of horse shoeing and other heavy work since, but my back has stood the test all right. I can heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, price 50 cents per box. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Prof. Barnard's Airship.

Though Prof. A. W. Barnard of Nashville, Tenn., is one of the youngest men to tackle the problem of aerial navigation, his recent experiment in that line appears from all accounts to have been the most successful yet made. His craft was an airship in fact as well as name, and was propelled against the wind, like a mariner tacking his craft upon the water, the only difference being that Prof, Barnard's ship was also something of an aerial bicycle. The comments made by the press on Prof. Barnard's experiment not only are complimentary to that gentleman, but they indicate also the striking change which has come over the public in the treatment of of the subject of aerial navigation. It is not so long since that to mention the subject at all was to ridicule it. Now it is different. So rapid and remarkable have been the changes wrought by science and invention that the lines have grown dim between the possible and impossible, and the public is therefore prepared not to be surprised at almost any accomplishment, including the successful navigation of the air.

Frail Lives Cut Short.

Infants cutting their teeth during hot weather often have their frail life cut short by that deadly summer complaint, diarrhœa and dysentery. Mothers, protect and save your babies' lives by the early use of Dr. John W. Bull's Baby Syrup, a facilitator of teething, and an unfailing remedy for baby complaints. "I can not speak too highly of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. It is the best I have ever used, and I would not be without it. I would advise all mothers to try it and see for themselves what a wonderful medicine it is for the ailments of babies. Mrs. H. McFerron, Lenzburg, Ill." Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is sold by all dealers for 25 cents. Take nothing else, but insist on getting Dr. John W. Bull's Baby Syrup.

For sale by C. M. Parrish, Bellefonte Pa.

Second Annual Bible Conference.

The second annual Bible Conference of the Pennsylvania Young Men's Christian Associations, will be held at the State Normal School, Bloomsburg Pa., July 13-22. The programme includes addresses and Bible readings by the best Bible teachers in the country, and it is saf eto say that last year's gathering will be more than excelled, both in speakers and attendance.

The expense will not exceed $10. for the entire time.

The location of the conference this year furnishes excellent facilities for recreation such as base-ball, tennis, croquet, bicycling, etc., besides the use of one of the finest gymnasiums in the country. It is positively assured that there will not be less than 300 persons in attendance this year. Begin already to make your plans to attend.

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A Churchman's Protest.

Allow me to call public attention to what seems to me a very important subject. It is the impropriety of allowing women to partake of the Lord's Supper, now generally called the Sacrament, in all the churches. It is only necessary to read the account of the institution of this sacred memorial by the founder of the Christian religion to see that only men were present on that occasion. It is not worth while here to consider whether the omission of woman was intentional or only because according to the custom of that age and country, the Master and his disciples, after engaging in public ministry, met in the "upper chamber" to partake of their last meal together. Suffice it for us to note the great evils that have resulted from the presence of women at the Sacrament.

Step by step, since this pernicious practice was permitted, women have been leaving the seclusion proper for that sex. What do we see today? Women teaching in Sunday and secular schools, women forming societies under every sort of title to usurp the functions of man and do the work of the world. Do not we see women acting as Home and Foreign missionaries for the spread of the gospel to every land and every creature? As might have been expected, these irrepressible apostles of progress are now even attempting to become members of the vestry, as in some organizations they have invaded the pulpit. What position will be left to preserve the dignity and power of man if this thing goes on.

I protest against such perversion of the place of sexes. As a radical change is needed, I propose that we return to first principles and prevent woman henceforth from appearing at the Sacramental table.

The misguided females sometimes misquote the Biblical phrase, "male and female created He them and gave *them* dominion," and claim that it was the Divine design that men and women should work together in every department of human interest. It has been urged that as men and women were placed together in families, so they should jointly strive for that larger family, the church. Some of the advocates of female assistants say that woman was "last at the cross and earliest at the tomb," and should therefore be entrusted to labor everywhere for her Lord.

Away with such sophistry! Let us not listen to it for an instant, but go at once back to the fact that no women were present at the first Sacrament. It was a fatal mistake ever to admit them to it.

Yours faithfully,

VESTRYMAN.

The proposition to elect some women as members of the vestry of Christ church, Lexington, Ky., was recently made by Miss Laura Clay. At a meeting of the Guild, the question was discussed and decided in the negative. Many of the arguments used by the opponents of women for the vestry are the same urged by the churchman above against the admission of women to the Sacrament.

ORRA LANGHORNE,
Culpepper, Va.

Stray Items.

Nit, Maudie, elevator shafts are never attached to a buggy.

The moon may not be lazy, but it is late in rising these nights.

A man may go down in a base ball pool and yet he won't drown.

Spurting bicyclists will run up against a circumstance unless they ease up.

Williamsport could get along better without fires than she can without an alarm system.

Delightful Relief from Catarrh

Here is one of a thousand such testimonies. The Rev. A. D. Buckley of Buffalo, say: "I wish all to know what a blessing Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder is in a case of catarrh I was troubled with this disease for years, but the first time I used this remedy it gave most delightful relief. I now regard myself entirely cured after using it for two months."

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Base Ball Games Yesterday.

The National League games yesterday resulted as follows:

Pittsburg 0, Boston 2.
Washington 3, Baltimore 6.
Cleveland 7, Brooklyn 0.
Chicago 5. Cincinnati 6.
Yale College 5, U. of Virginia 4.

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Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Parthenon Opened at Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., May 10.—The art exhibition in the Parthenon of the Tennessee Centennial Exposition was opened to the public to-day, the jury of awards having finished its work. In speaking of the pictures on exhibition, F. Hopkinson Smith, one of the jury, said to-day that the jury was not only suprised, but was delighted with the character of the art exhibit, containing as it does so many pictures of the highest rank.

Bicyclists After a Spin

Will want something reliable to remove sun burn and roughness of skin. If you will try our "almond cream" or "CYDONINE" you will get satisfaction. They soothe, heal and soften the skin. Price 25 and 15 cents. For bruises and stiffness of the limbs, "Green's Electric Liniment" has no superior Price 25 cents.

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We have secured new quarters, only three doors from former location, and shall be doing business as usual within ten days. Meanwhile, we are filling mail orders again, with usual promptitude.

If your requests for samples were not attended to, it is because your letter was destroyed. As all records have been lost, we would ask our old mail-order customers to send us their names and addresses on a postal card, in order that our Special Announcement and other matter may reach them as usual.

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Ninth and Sansom Streets, Philadelphia.

Peremptory Sale of the Stock of a First-class Livery Stable.

Mr Albert La Rue, in order to reduce his very large stock, will sell at Auction on TUESDAY MORNING, MAY 18, 1897, at 11 o'clock, at the Bazaar,

Fifteen first-class Horses (single and in pairs) used to all kinds of work and thoroughly acclimated.

Ten Berlin Coaches.
Three Six seat Rockaways.
Eight Top Wagons.
Five No-top Wagons.
Three Victorias.
Four Six-seat Rockaway Barouches
Five Hearses (three in black and two in white.)

The above carriages are by the best builders, such as Caffrey Co., Messrs. Lang's Sons, Rogers, Son & Co., and Rech, and in perfect order having recently been done up for this Spring's business.

Tally-ho Coach, "Franklin," in good order, originally cost $3,600:

Thirty Sets of Single and Double Harness by Ziegler.

May be examined at the Bazaar on Monday, the 17th.

ALFRED M HERKNESS & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Cemetery Desecrators to be Prosecuted.

For some time past a number of children have been making a play ground of the Union Cemetery. It is a common occurance to find a dozen or more there in the evening after school hours running over the graves and lots and pulling flowers and it is impossible for those owning lots to plant flowers or shrubbery without their being destroyed. These children enter through openings in the fence next High Street and it is said that they have torn the palings off for this purpose. We regret to say that not only children but older people are guilty of stealing flowers and plants from graves. Considerable complaint has been made and the Cemetery Association have taken the matter in hand. The fence will be repaired and persons trespassing there hereafter will be dealt with to the full extant of the law.

The persons guilty of these offences are doubtless ignorant of the law on the subject and for their benefit we quote from the act of assembly relating thereto as follows: "Any person who shall willfully and maliciously injure, destroy or remove any fence, railing or other work for the protection or ornament" of a Cemetery "or maliciously destroy any trees or shrubbery growing in such cemetery or graveyard shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction of either of the said offences be sentenced to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year or to pay a fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars, or both, or either, at the discretion of the Court."

The names of some of the offenders have been procured and a watch is being kept for others. The Association is in earnest and means to put a stop to this outrage. We hope those who have been engaging in this practice will heed this warning for, if they don't, trouble for them will follow.

Heart Disease on the Increase.

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—Frank H. Clemson was appointed postmaster at Benore on Monday.

ESTATE OF NELSON P. RIDDLE, DECEASED.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Nelson P. Riddle, late of Howard Borough, Centre county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Findley B. Riddle, of Wrightsville, York county, Pa., and Mav Belle Riddle, of Howard, Centre county, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said est te are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

FINDLEY B. RIDDLE,
MAY BELLE RIDDLE,
A A DALE, Attorney, Administrators
Bellefonte, Pa. may6-6t

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH GATES, DECEASED—Letters Testamentary on the estate of Elizabeth Gates, late of Snow Shoe township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Isaac Gates and W H Gates, residing at Benovo, Pennsylvania, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

ISAAC GATES,
W H GATES,
Executors
CLEMENT DALE, Attorney may 6-6t

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT—The venders of foreign and domestic merchandise in Centre county, will take notice that they are appraised and classified by the undersigned appraiser of mercantile and other license tax, for the year ending 1897, as follows:

NAME.	BUSINESS.	CLASS.	TAX.
AARONSBURG P O			
Maize, A P	merchant,	14,	$7.75
Mensch, R W	"	14,	7.75
Philips, W H	"	13,	10.75
Stover, C H	grocer,	14,	7.75
AXEMANN P O			
Meyers, Henry	merchant.	14,	7.75
BELLEFONTE P O			
Aikens, J A	merchant	14,	7.75
Allison, Archibald	steam sup.	14,	7.75
Anderson, John	billiards & pool,	7,	40.75
Anderson, John	restaurant.	8,	5.75
Achenbach, B C	confectioner,	14,	7.75
Bauer, V J	boots & shoes,	14,	7.75
Bauer, J N & Co	merchants.	13,	10.75
Brachbill, W R	furniture,	14,	7.75
Brockerhoff, H&Co	wholesale groc,	14,	7.75
Bush, G T	stationer,	14,	7.75
Bush, Mrs. L	grocer,	14,	7.75
Blair, F P & Co	jewelers,	14,	7.75
Bft Fuel & Sup Co	coal & grain,	11,	15.75
Blackford, G J	restaurant,	8,	5.75
Beaver Lum Co	lumber,	13,	10.75
Ceader, Joseph	confectioner	14,	7.75
Cruse, A J	tobacconist,	14,	7.75
Crider, P B & Son	lumber,	12,	13.25
Dubbs, J G	implements,	14,	7.75
Fauble, M & Son	clothiers,	13,	10.75
Green, F P	druggist,	13,	10.75
Garman, E F	merchant,	13,	10.75
Gerberich, Hale & Co	grain, etc,	14,	7.75
Garbrick, John	merchant,	14,	7.75
Harris, James & Co	hardware	10,	20.75
Harper, Jared	grocer,	11,	15.75
Irvin, Dani's Sons	hardware,	10,	20.75
Jenkins, H E	confectioner,	14,	7.75
Joseph Bros & Co	merchants,	9,	25.75
Jackson, G W	grain, etc,	14,	7.75
Kurtz, J C J	stationer,	14,	7.75
Krumrine Bros	druggists,	14,	7.75
Katz & Co Ltd	merchants.	10,	20.75
Lewin, S Agt	clothier.	13,	10.75
Larimer, R Agt	grocer,	14,	7.75
Lyon & Co	merchants	10,	20.75
Meese, John	merchants	13	10.75
McClure, Jas I	guns & harness,	14	7.75
Miles, Jno Q & Co	grocers,	14	7.75
McCalmont & Co	coal & implements,	10	20.75
McGinley, John A	tobacconist,	14	7.75
Montgomery & Co	clothiers.	13	10.75
Mingle, A C	boots and shoes,	13	10.75
Montgomery, Fred	coal.	14	7.75
Naginey, F E	furniture	14	7.75
Otto, H	tobacconist,	14	7.75
Powers, E L	boots and shoes,	13	10.75
Parrish, C M	druggist.	14	7.75
Rowe, E C	furniture,	13	10.75
Rhoads, E H	coal and grain,	11	15.75
Rine, Edward	tobacconist.	14	7.75
Richards, F C Sons	jewelers.	14	7.75
Racket Store Co	merchants,	11	15.75
Reese, G W	grocer,	14	7.75
Roundtree, J T	grocer.	14	7.75
Sechler & Co	grocer,	11	15.75
Sheffer, A L	bicycles,	14	7.75
Sourbeck, John	confectioner	14	7.75
Shuey, C C	grocer,	11	15.75
Schreyer & Sheffer,	grocer,	13	10.75
Schadd, R J & Bro	steam supplies,	14	7.75
Twitmire, W T	stoves, etc,	14	7.75
Taylor, R B	coal.	14	7.75
Thal, M T	confectioner.	14	7.75
Williams, S H	wall paper,	14	7.75
Wilkinson, W H est	queensware,	13	10.75
Wetzel, L C	bicycles, etc,	14	7.75
Waite, J S & Co agts	implements,	14	7.75
Zeller, J & Son	druggist,	13	10.75
BLANCHARD P O			
Glossner, S H	merchant,	14	7.75
Kunes, S H & J I	merchant,	14	7.75
Quigley, J A	merchant,	14	7.75
Snyder H A	merchant,	14	7.75

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BOALSBURG P O			
Bricker, L S	merchant,	14	7.75
Stuart, J T	merchant,	14	7.75
Weber, J H	merchant,	13	10.75
BENORE P O			
Baiser J W	merchant.	14	7.75
Haugh, John	merchant,	13	10.75
Love, Mrs John	merchant,	14	7.75
CENTRE HALL P O			
Benner, G O	merchant	14	7.75
Dauberman, John	furniture,	14	7.75
Kreamer & Son	merchants,	13	10.75
Murray, J	druggist,	14	7.75
Ocker, G W	grain and coal,	14	7.75
Potts & McCoy	merchant,	13	10.75
Wolf & Crawford	merchants,	12	13.25
COBURN P O			
Boyer, R	merchant,	14	7.75
Gulsewith, Luther	coal and grain,	13	10.75
Glassgow, J W	merchants,	14	7.75
Hoffa, John	coal and grain,	14	7.75
Krader, W C	merchant,	14	7.75
Meyer, T F	merchant.	14	7.75
COLYER P O			
Smith & Crawford	merchants,	14	7.7
CLARENCE P O			
Buddinger, T B	merchant.	14	7.75
FARMERS MILLS P O			
Rishel, J H	merchant,	14	7.75
FLEMING P O			
Greist A J	merchant.	12	13.25
Greist, T E	merchant,	13	10.75
GUYER P O			
Smith, M	merchant,	14	7.75
HUBLERSBURG P O			
Hoy, G F agt	merchant	14	7.75
Kessinger, J R	merchant.	14	7.75
HOWARD P O			
Kline, Jackson	merchant.	14	7.75
Long, R P agt	merchant,	14	7.75
Lucas & Bro	merchants.	13	10.75
Moore, H A	druggist.	14	7.75
McEntire, O W	druggist,	14	7.75
Schenck, A A	hardware,	14	7.75
Thompson, W H	merchant,	14	7.75
Weber, B Sons	merchants.	13	10.75
HANNAH P O			
Beckwith, J W	merchant.	14	7.75
JULIAN P O			
Irvin, Daniel	merchant	14	7.7
LEMONT P O			
Grove, D A	coal and grain,	14	7.75
Lenker, J E	merchant,	13	10.75
Long, L E	hardware,	14	7.75
Rose J Irvin & Son	merchants	13	10.75
LINDEN HALL P O			
Keller, Mrs J W	merchants,	14	7.75
Meyers, A E	grain, etc,	14	7.75
Ross J H	merchant,	13	10.75
MADISONBURG P O			
Kline, H H	merchant,	14	7.75
Smith, Isaac	merchant,	14	7.75
MOSHANNON P O			
Lucas, J T	merchant,	14	7.75
Holt, N A & Co	merchant,	14	7.75
MILESBURG P O			
Boggs, A T	merchant.	14	7.75
Brown & Uhl	merchant.	14	7.75
Else, C H	druggist,	14	7.75
Bugg, Enoch	merchant.	14	7.75
Miles, W B & Son	merchant	13	10.75
McCoy & Linn	merchants	14	7.75
Newman, A	grocer.	14	7.75
Poorman, Ed	merchant.	14	7.75
Shawley, Wm	grocer.	14	7.75
Wetzler & Bierly	merchant	14	7.75
MILLHEIM P O			
Condo, Jno P	merchant,	13	10.75
Frank, A A	merchant.	13.	10.75
Fosterman & Stover,	hardware,	13	10.75
Harter & Campbell	furniture,	14	7.75
Kessler, A	clothing,	14	7.75
Morris, C H	druggist,	14	7.75
Stover, J W	merchant,	14	7.75
Spiglemeyer, M C	merchant.	14	7.75
NITTANY P O			
Peck, S & Son	merchants,	14	7.75
Shaffer, B F & Son	merchants	14	7.75
OAK HALL P O			
Korman, P	merchant,	14	7.75
Stuart J W	grain and coal,	14	7.75
PENNA FURNACE P O			
Irvin, E L & Co	merchants.	14	7.75
Ward, W S	merchants,	13	10.75
PINE GROVE MILLS P O			
Krebs, D C & Bro	merchants	14	7.75
Krebs, J B & Bro	merchants	14	7.75
Weaver, D H	merchant	14	7.75
PLEASANT GAP P O			
Noll, W H & Bro	merchants	13	10.75
POTTERS MILLS P O			
Long, P P	merchants,	14	7.75
Thompson & Smith	merchants,	14	7.75
PENN HALL P O			
Fisher, J B & Son	merchants,	13	10.75
POWELTON P O			
Jackson, R A	merchant,	14	7.75
PINE GLENN P O			
Boak, G R	merchant,	14	7.75
PORT MATILDA P O			
Chaney & Thompson	merchants,	14	7.75
Crain W L G & Son	merchants,	14	7.75
Pringle, S R	merchant,	14	7.75
Reese, A W	merchants,	14	7.75
PHILIPSBURG P O			
Andrews, W C	merchant	11	15.75
Atlantic Refining Co	wholesale oil	13	10.75
Bair, D H Store Co	grocers	14	7.75
Burchfield, W E	novelties,	14	7.75
Bunnell, J F	musical instruments	14	7.75
Brinton, L C & Co	grocers	13	10.75
Barnes, Thos	merchant	14	40.75
Barnes, J & T	clothiers	10	7.5

NAME	BUSINESS	CLASS	TAX
Barber, J F	hardware	4	5
Black, James	furniture	1	7.75
Crissman, S S	druggist	14	7.75
Crossgrove, B T	restaurant	8	5.75
Custer & Norris	paints etc	14	7.75
Dunwiddie, W A & Co	druggists	14	7.75
Doughty, Wm	restaurant	8	5.75
Dunsmore, W G & Co	grocers	12	13.25
Davis, C H	jeweler	14	7.75
Decateur Store Co	merchants	13	10.75
Denlinger Bros	wholesale oil	14	7.75
Davidson, M H	meats	14	7.75
Deakin, Thos	restaurant	8	5.75
Deilge, J D	restaurant	8	5.75
Emery, Harry	grocer	14	7.75
Forsey, D	druggist	14	7.75
Frank, W E	grocer	14	7.75
Friberger C T	hay grain etc	13	10.75
Goss, H J	guns and bicycles	14	7.75
Gray Bros	restaurant	8	5.75
Graham, Herd & Co	hardware	10	20.75
Hassinger, C P	cigars & confectionery	14	7.75
Herman, Gerson	clothier	13	10.75
Harper, A W	confectioner	14	7.75
Hoffman Bros	tobacconist	14	7.75
Homer, J E	grocer	14	7.75
Hoover, Hughes & Co	lumber	10	20.75
Haworth Bros	furniture	14	7.75
Hardine, J C	boots and shoes	12	10.75
Hoffer, H O	novelties	14	7.75
Holt, Elmer	billiards & pool	7	40.75
Herman, Geo	merchant	14	7.75
Hess, Wm	grocer	14	7.75
Jones & Co	hardware	11	15.75
Kessler, L G	merchant	8	30.75
Kalesky, Tobias	clothier	13	10.75
Kollock, G M	tobacconist	14	7.75
Kelley, W H & Co	jewelers	14	7.75
Lehman, Joseph	clothier	14	7.75
Marks, A W	carpets and shoes	12	13.25
Moore, Frank	grocer	14	7.75
McKinney, J D	grocer	14	7.75
McCausland, T G	jeweler	14	7.75
Melick, W M	druggist	14	7.75
Mayer, Adam	furniture	14	7.75
Mingle, Robt	restaurant	8	5.75
Murray, Jones & Co	lumber	12	13.25
Owens, W C	hardware	11	15.75
Parker, G R	stationer	14	7.75
Platt, Barber & Co	wholesale groc	8	100.75
Prusick & Gette	boots & shoes	14	7.75
Press, Jacob	grocer	14	7.75
Right, S M	jeweler	14	7.75
Rothrock, W T	novelties	14	7.75
Rolling, J M & Co	jewelers	14	7.75
Richey, Wm	queensware etc	14	7.75
Ratawsky, R	clothier	13	10.75
Russ, John	restaurant	8	5.75
Runk, M M	grocer	14	7.75
Switzer, I J & K	milliners	14	7.75
Schmidt, F & R	merchants	14	7.75
Streamer, J C	clothier	14	7.75
Swires Store Co	merchants	14	7.75
Swift & Co	wholesale meats	9	25.75
Woomer, E S	clothier	13	10.75
Weber, Frank	furniture	14	7.75
Wolf, Wm	grain and hay	14	7.75
Woodring, Z J	meats	14	7.75
ROCK SPRINGS P O			
Miller, C D	merchant	14	7.75
ROMOLA P O			
Robb, Wm	merchant	14	7.75
ROLAND P O			
Parker, J M	merchant	14	7.75
REBERSBURG P O			
Carlin, W J	merchant	13	10.72
Kreamer, G W	merchant	14	7.75
Miller, H G	merchant	13	10.75
STORMSTOWN P O			
Purket, I G & Bro	merchants	14	7.75
Griffin, J H	merchant	14	7.75
STATE COLLEGE P O			
Foster, B M	grocer	14	7.75
Foster, W L	merchant	13	10.75
Krumrine, J N & S	merchants	13	10.75
Meek, W D	druggist	14	7.75
Meek, L Olin	hardware	14	7.75
Stuart, John W	grain & coal	14	7.75
Shortlidge & Co	implements & seeds	14	7.75
SANDY RIDGE P O			
Sandy Ridge Store		14	7.75
Twig, M S & Co	merchants	14	7.75
SPRING MILLS P O			
Allison Bros	grain and coal	14	7.75
Grolman, J	clothier	114	7.75
Long, G H	merchant	14	7.75
Long, C P	merchant	13	10.75
Moyer, C A	merchant	14	7.75
Pealer, Wm	merchant	13	10.75
Smith, John & Bro	furniture	14	7.75
SNOW SHOE P O			
Buddinger, T B	merchant	14	7.75
Gunsalus, Harry	clothier	14	7.75
Haynes, R J	merchant	13	10.75
Kelley & Fahey	grocers	14	7.75
Sechler & Co	grocers	14	7.75
Sickle, W A	druggist	14	7.75
Thompson & Styers	grocers	14	7.75
TUSSEYVILLE P O			
Swartz, S M	merchant	13	10.75
WALKER P O			
Yearick, N H	merchant	14	7.75
WADDLES P O			
Hoy, Jno A	merchant	14	7.75
WOLFS STORE P O			
Emerick, J S	merchant	14	7.75
WOODWARD P O			
Motz, J C F	merchant	14	7.75
Orndorf, L D	merchant	14	7.75
Wolf, R M	merchant	13	10.75
ZION P O			
Dorman, S F	merchant	14	7.75
Gingerich, P F	merchant	14	7.75
Noll, B A & Co	merchants	14	7.75

An appeal will be held at the Commissioners Office, in the court house, at Bellefonte, Pa., on Tuesday, June 1st, 1897, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 1. p. m., when and where all persons interested may attend if they think proper.

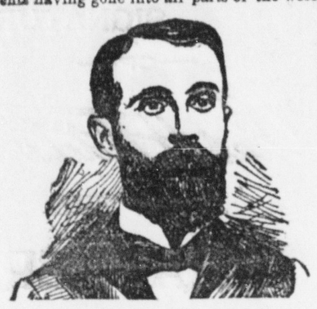
J. P. SEBRING,
May 6-4t Mercantile Appraiser

A SCIENTIST SAVED.

President Barnaby, of Hartsville College, Survives a Serious Illness Through the Aid of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

From the Republican, Columbus, Ind.

The Hartsville College, situated at Hartsville, Indiana, was founded years ago in the interest of the United Brethren Church, when the state was mostly a wilderness, and colleges were scarce. The college is well known throughout the country, former students having gone into all parts of the world.



PROF. ALVIN P. BARNABY.

A reporter recently called at this famous seat of learning and was shown into the room of the President, Prof. Alvin P. Barnaby. When last seen by the reporter Prof. Barnaby was in delicate health. To-day he was apparently in the best of health. In response to an inquiry the professor said:

"Oh, yes, I am much better than for some time. I am now in perfect health; but my recovery was brought about in rather a peculiar way."

"Tell me about it," said the reporter.

"Well, to begin at the beginning," said the professor, "I studied too hard when at school, endeavoring to educate myself for the professions. After completing the common course I came here, and graduated from the theological course. I entered the ministry, and accepted the charge of a United Brethren Church at a small place in Kent County, Mich. Being of an ambitious nature, I applied myself diligently to my work and studies. In time I noticed that my health was failing. My trouble was indigestion, and this with other troubles brought on nervousness.

"My physician prescribed for me for some time, and advised me to take a change of climate. I did as he requested and was some improved. Soon after, I came here as professor in physics and chemistry, and later was financial agent of this college. The change agreed with me, and for awhile my health was better, but my duties were heavy, and again I found my trouble returning. This time it was more severe and in the winter I became completely prostrated. I tried various medicines and different physicians. Finally, I was able to return to my duties. Last spring I was elected president of the college. Again I had considerable work, and the trouble, which had not been entirely cured, began to affect me, and last fall I collapsed. I had different doctors, but none did me any good. Professor Bowman, who is professor of natural science, told me of his experience with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and urged me to give them a trial, because they had benefited him in a similar case, and I concluded to try them.

"The first box helped me, and the second gave great relief, such as I had never experienced from the treatment of any physician. After using six boxes of the medicine I was entirely cured. To-day I am perfectly well. I feel better and stronger than for years. I certainly recommend this medicine."

To allay all doubt Prof. Barnaby cheerfully made an affidavit before

LYMAN J. SCUDDER, *Notary Public.*

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

A FUNNY EYE-SIGHT.

The Indian was Immensely Proud of His Crockery Optic.

At the battle of Stone River, or Murfreesboro, as some historians name it, Lieutenant Hallack, of the Union Army had the misfortune to lose one of his eyes. In 1865, he was promoted to be first lieutenant in the regular army, and was stationed at one of the Indian posts on the plains.

He had a small blue eye of glass, but thinking that he could not obtain artificial eyes so far away from the large cities, he bought two other glass eyes, for use should his regular false eye be broken.

On a certain occasion, Lieutenant Halleck was visited by a one-eyed Indian warrior, who wished to see the "white man's funny eye." The brave was much pleased with the sight, and after awhile he besought the officer to lend him one of the extra bits of glass.

"But your sound eye is as black as coal and as big as a saucer," protested the lieutenant, "and these eyes are little and blue."

The Indian insisted, however, and at last prevailed on the lieutenant to lend him one of the eyes.

The lieutenant says that he never saw an Indian so delighted. Clad in a long shirt and an old plug hat, the brave walked around the camp as proud as Lucifer. His big black eye and his little blue eye were in amusing contrast.

He succeeded in making the other Indians believe that he could see through the blue eye as well as through his natural one, and no happier warrior than he ever strutted before admiring squaws.—Golden Days.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

The Turkish court pianist receives $3,000 a year for his services, but he is temporarily suspended every time he plays a tune the Sultan does not care to hear.

The oldest medical recipe is said by a French medical journal to be that of a hair tonic for an Egyptian Queen. It is dated 400 B. C., and directs that dogs' paws and asses' hoofs be boiled with dates in oil.

A mosaic pavement of Palestine, 30 feet long by 15 broad, has been discovered at a village between Salt and Kerak, east of the Jordan. The pavement is believed to belong to the fifth century after Christ.

The busiest telephone exchange in the world is in Chicago. It is the Washington Street Exchange, where the daily average is 180,000 messages, which means that double that number of persons talk over the telephone line.

There are three harvests reaped in Bengal every year—peas and oil-seeds in the month of April, the early rice crop in September, and the great rice crop in December.

Justices of the Peace.

Commissions have thus far been issued to the following justices elected in this county: Z. S. Welch, Curtin township; W. I. Harter, Liberty township; L. A. Schaffer, N. W. Bellefonte; F. R. Stover, Liberty township; Henry Reinhart, Haines; Cyrus Wasson, College; W. J. Carlin, Miles; O. H. Nason, Huston; Frank Tage, S. Philipsburg Boro; J. M. Green, Milesburg Boro; J. T. Garthoff, Penn township; J. S. Houseman, Potter; J. A. Hazel, Spring; J. H. Oliger, Spring; W. A. Murray, Harris; James Burley, S. Philipsburg Boro; John Hamer, Taylor; G. M. Harter, Marion; J. M. Parker, Boggs.

Stereoptican Views.

A Stereoptican entertainment will be given in the Court House, Monday evening, May 17th. About one hundred large, clear views are thrown by two 750 candle-power exhydrogen calcium lights upon a broad, high screen, supported by a poplar and brass frame 18 feet square, and illustrating the "Slums of New York by Flashlight."

It will be under the direction of the Y. M. C. A. Admission free. Don't fail to attend.

A Reliable Woman Wanted.

We want a reliable woman in every County to establish a corset parlor for the sale of Dr. Nichol's Celebrated Spinal Supporting Corsets and "Double from End to End" Clasps, with Asbestos Lined Bust Protector. Every pair warranted not to break or rust; absolutely impervious to moisture or perspiration. A new pair given for every pair that breaks. Guarantee printed on each corset. Recommended by over 10,000 physicians. furnish complete stock on consignment and pay a salary of $40 to $65 per month and expenses. $3.00 sample outfit free. Send 10 cents postage for sample and terms.

Nichols Manufacturing Co.,
378 Canal Street, New York.

—H. B. Shaffer, the Bellefonte photographer, has moved his branch gallery from Altoona to Johnstown. In commenting on his work in the Mountain city the Tribune says this: "During their stay in this city their work has given excellent satisfaction and personally the gentlemen in charge have been most courteous and obliging. We bespeak for Mr. Shaffer a cordial reception in our neighboring city."

New Cave Discovered.

The Nippenose News gives an interesting article on the discovery of a cave with an underground lake in Nippenose valley. It says:

"The dimensions of the cave as far as can be seen (a curve shuts off the view) are probably 160 feet long, 25 feet wide and 12 feet high. It is filled with water. It will require the use of a boat to properly explore the place.

"The land lying south of Millport hill, formerly owned by 'Squire Jesse Bower, and now known as the G. W. Clark lower farm, has always been remarkable for its caves and sink holes; but the latest found cave—first entered some days ago by John Pearson and Emanuel Laubach—is the most wonderful of them all.

"The hole lies in the bed of the destructive 1889 flood stream and can be seen from the road at Gann's limekiln. This cavity first appeared last summer, and with every heavy rain it has been getting deeper. Only a few weeks ago the loose dirt which formed its bottom gave way and the drift was washed through a large crevice in the limestone wall which forms the north side.

"This hole is the door of the wonderful cave.

"One must stoop to enter the cavern but once within one is able to go about anywhere erect. The most striking feature of the cave is the subterranean stream which it discloses and whose roar one hears immediately upon entering. It is either the Rauchtown creek or McMurren's run, or both—the great feeders of Antes creek—which flows under this valley and emerges at Sanderson's Big Spring.

"The creek flows swiftly but gently along; it rides in a smooth rock bed and does not appear to ripple or foam.

"This is the first time, so far as known, that this stream was seen by any man.

"The great room is carved in solid rock, the step being arched like a viaduct built by skilled masons. As far as the News reporter could see by the aid of a torch, up stream or down stream, the roof was high above the water and there was an ample path along its side.

"The cave reminds one of the adventures of the heroes of Rider Haggard's story, 'King Solomon's Mine,' who took a voyage on just such a subterranean stream in their search for the royal treasures. Several of the News party were tempted to launch a boat on this stream and start down the current towards Lochabar.

"It has been decided to call this wonderful cavern after the finest village in the valley—Oriole cave.

"Another party examined the cave on Tuesday. A bundle of corn fodder was saturated with kerosene and the blaze so illuminated the interior that the explorers were enabled to see everything within the eye's range from the view point of the small beach near the entrance. They found it a much larger affair than was anticipated. The water to the west lies placid like a lake. It could be seen stretching out for a distance of at least 80 feet, where the view is cut off by a curve of the channel. How much larger the chamber is can only be learned by means of a boat. The same is true of the eastern view, the sight of which is interrupted by a curve."

Heirs To A Chicago Fortune.

Easton, Pa., May 7.—Three Chicago lawyers are in this city looking up people in this section who, by a complicated condition of circumstances, have fallen heirs to an estate in that city valued at one million dollars or more. Forty years ago a woman named Joanna Dickerman, of Trenton, N. J., was married to a man named Gottlieb Henninger. The couple moved to Chicago, where Henninger went blind, and was turned out of doors by his wife. He returned to this city, and later went to Philadelphia, where he died.

The woman took up with three different men at various times, and they lived together as man and wife. By the last man, Curtis Robinson, she had two children. Six years ago the woman died, and a year later Robinson died, leaving an estate worth about one million dollars. The lawyers have succeeded in finding two brothers of the first husband. They live in New Jersey, a few miles from here. They will claim part of the estate.

Increase of Railroad Tax.

LANSING, MICH., May 7.—A long message from Gov. Pingree, urging increased taxation of railroads, was read in both houses of the Legislature this afternoon. The Governor fears that the session will end without having enacted any adequate reforms in this line.

The message laid particular stress upon comparisons between the Indiana and Michigan system of railroad taxation, and urges adoption of the Ohio or Indiana systems of taxing the roads properly rather than the Michigan plan of specific taxes upon earnings. He showed that Michigan receives annually less than three-quarters of a million dollars from the roads while Indiana, with 1,300 miles less of railroad, gets more than two and a quarter millions.

Turkish Army Grows.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 4.—It has been decided to increase the strength of the Turkish army in the European provinces to 300,000 men in order to be prepared for all emergencies. Including the troops in Anatolia, Turkey will soon have 500,000 troops under arms.

Four transports with Turkish troops on board passed through the Dardanelles Sunday on their way to the Aegean sea. Their ultimate is not known.

May Run Special Trains.

Officials of the Central railroad are talking about running special trains from Bellefonte next Thursday to the evangelistic meetings now being held in Lock Haven.

—A game of base ball was played Friday afternoon between the Junior class of the High School, and the Seniors and A's of the same school. The result was 11 to 9 in favor of the Senior and A classes.

—The Academy and High School base ball teams will play next Saturday afternoon on the High School grounds.

THE KING OF GREECE.

ASCENDED THE THRONE WHEN A BOY OF SEVENTEEN YEARS.

The Greeks Have Desired Him to Abdicate and Allow Prince Constantinos to Reign Instead—The Second Son, Sailor George, a Strong Character.

Three and thirty years ago a picturesque scene was enacted in the Danish capital. A deputation of Greeks—we ought to call them Hellenes, but we do not—a deputation of Greeks demanded an audience of Frederick VII, the old King of Denmark, and asked leave to offer their country's crown to his great-nephew, George of Schleswig-Holstein. For reply the monarch turned to the handsome stripling who stood expectant by and bade him take his place beside him on the dais, saluting him as his brother sovereign. Four months passed, and the youth of seventeen was proclaimed King at Athens, England, France and Russia being his sponsors. Boy in years though he might be, the impatient Greeks asserted he was man enough for them, and before the end of the month they declared him of age, finally placing the reins of government in his hands on the last day of October, 1863. Fourteen days more were then told off, and the aged Frederick died, leaving his own throne free for King Christian, the father of the new Greek King, this forming perhaps the solitary instance of a son being an older sovereign than his parent.

Having watched him carefully through the first four years of his reign, Russia, by a clever stroke of policy, which caused some stir at the time, secured the young monarch's hand for one of her Grandduchesses, Olga Constantinovana, her family considering that the imperial bride's value was greatly increased by the fact that she was only fifteen years of age at the time of her marriage. King George, who did everything early in life, became a father when he was only twenty-two, and within eleven months his little bride had presented him with a second son, the magnificent young giant, George, hero of the present hour. The gift of a series of stalwart Princes was hailed with as much satisfaction as the Ionian Islands, that other present which the Prince from the north bestowed upon his new subjects. Their King was a Lutheran, a foreigner,, and not skilled in their native tongue; but his boys were born on the soil, and there was a promise that not only should they be Orthodox, but that the first lisping of their baby mouths should be Greek. In consideration of this, as time passed they almost, never quite, consented to forgive their sovereign for being a stranger. They have demanded that he should abdicate in favor of his son a score of times in as many years, it is true; still, when he replied that he would do so with pleasure, but that it would be to the detriment of all concerned, they have gone home in peace, consenting to put up for a little longer with the man who has increased the area of their country by one-third and won for them a leading place among the secondary Powers of Europe.

Should the King abdicate his successor would of course be the Duke of Sparta, more commonly known in Athens as Prince Constantinos. Many people, not perhaps excluding the Crown Prince himself, would prefer the Athleticos Prinkyes, George. However, even Greece, who passes her days in doing strange things, would hardly venture on such an innovation as that. Moreover, you cannot be both Nelson and a King, and sailor George means to be Nelson, find a Napoleon where he may. In alluding to a preference for the younger brother it is by no means insinuated that the Crown Prince is unpopular. He is admired, liked and respected, as he well deserves, but he is somewhat silent and retiring.

King George, a true constitutional sovereign, wants to follow rather than to lead his people, but he will not follow to their destruction. As has happened before, he will pull his team up on the edge of the precipice—if they will let him. The Crown Prince, farsighted, level-headed and wary, is one degree more cautious than his father, and will advise keeping a little, just a little, further away from the abyss. Prince George, who is neither Greek nor Russian, but an ancient Viking, pure and simple, looks impatiently at his seniors and tugs at the lace on his sleeve, yearning as did his forbears to seize on some Normandy or some Anglia or to take his Long Serpent up any and every navigable river within his reach, and what, he would say, is beyond the reach of a man with a stout heart and a strong arm? Prince Nicholas and Prince Andreas ask only to be allowed to go wherever George will take them.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Effective Lubricants.

Oliver Wendell Holmes kept on hand a little pile of autograph extracts from his writings, and, when a visitor had reached the extreme limit of a call, yet seemed unaware of the fact, the doctor would kindly hand him one of these extracts, courteously asking him to keep it as a keepsake. "They can't stop after that, however tough," he said, "I call the extracts 'lubricant;' it greases the way to send them off."

He was Nearer to It.

Two Irishmen digging in a ditch. One was tall, the other short. The little fellow was digging away industriously, while the big one looked on. The foreman unbraided him for his idleness. "Ain't you ashamed to let that little fellow do all the work?"

"Sure's he's nearer to it," was the apt reply.

Two Lives Probably Lost.

Two lives are thought to have been lost in a fire which destroyed the house of Mrs. Sanford Robinson, at Stone Valley, twenty miles from here, Thursday. Seven young children had been left in the house in the care of a 17-year old girl during the mother's absence at a neighbor's place, and two of the little ones are missing. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Light on a Murder Mystery.

TRENTON, N. J., May 4.—Frank Neilson, alias "Laroy," a crook who began a ten years' sentence in the State prison here last Friday, to-day made some startling statements regarding the murder of Ferdinand Harris, butler for Mr. C. D. Borden, of 25 West Fifty-sixth street, New York. Harris was shot to death in the hallway of his employer's residence on May 27, 1895, and the mystery surrounding his death was never solved. Neilson says that he and "Low Dutch Henry" and "Bindfadden," two burglars, conspired to rob the Borden residence. In carrying out their plans he says "Low Dutch Henry" murdered Harris and escaped to Chicago. Convicted with Neilson of the burglary and sentenced to ten years in prison was a man called "Kid" Miller, alias Alfred Brown." Neilson says this man is entirely innocent.

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Maine.	Skim-Milk Test.
Feb. 2	0.03
" 9	0.04
Wisconsin.	
Jan. 4	0.03
" 5	0.02
" 21	0.03
New Hampshire.	
Feb. 18	0.01
" 19	0.04
Massachusetts.	
Feb. 10	0.01
" 12	0.03
Illinois:	
March 12	0.01
" 15	0.005
Ohio.	**Skim-Milk Test.**
Jan. 15	0.02
Feb. 2	0.00
" 15	0.02
14 tests under	0.05
Cornell.	
In 25 tests, Jan. 7 to March 15, 8 showed only	Trace
11 showed only	0.03 to 0.05
Vermont.	
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" 29	0.03
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SPEER'S WINE In PHILADELPHIA

A Wine Vinter Like a Prophet—Not Without Honor Save in His Own Country.

The following is clipped from the Philadelphia Herald of Monday, April 19th.

"Connoisseurs on wines in fashionable club house and restaurants in Philadelphia are all talking about a great brand of old Burgundy which has sprung into favor with a suddenness that is unusual in a city noted for its set notions and staid ways. The Burgundy in question is from the vaults of the Speer N. J. Wine company, at Passaic, twelve miles from New York city. The Speer vineyards have long been noted for the quality of its wines, its port, sherries and brandies being sold in many of the capitals of Europe. The company has had such a great demand for its wines it has never attempted to sell them in Philadelphia, or, in fact, in any section of the country west of New York city.

Incidentally, however, a swell Philadelphia club got hold of some of its Burgundy, and once sampled, there was a tremendous demand for it. Members would drink no other kind, and very soon the quantity was exhausted. Then more was ordered, together with some brands of Speer's port, which were said to be famous. The Burgundy and port arrived in due time, but were soon exhausted. The fame of the wines spread to other clubs and to some of the leading city hotels. It is said the demand on the Speer company from Philadelphia has been so great it has been kept busy during the past few weeks filling orders for this city alone.

Its Old Climax brandy and its Socialite claret are among its famous brands. The vineyard of the Speer company is perhaps the oldest and most famous in this country. Alfred Speer, the president, is a famous wine producer. The soil on which the grapes are grown has enough iron in it to give a tone and quality to the wines which make them, especially the port, a prime medicinal wine. Dr. Janes of the New York board of health has given his testimonial to the merits of the Speer port wine:

"'I take great pleasure in testifying to the superior qualities of the port wine produced by Alfred Speer of New Jersey. After a prolonged trial, I recommend it as a superior wine for the sick and debilitated."

"The company will allow no wine to leave its vaults that is not of prime quality. Consequently there is no such thing as poor wine to be had, so far as the Speer product is concerned. The wine is kept in casks to a great age before it is bottled. The vineyard itself is a great sight. There are over three hundred miles of vines. There are grape arbors two miles long. In the grape season it is a wonderful and beautiful sight one beholds in driving out to the vineyards. Hundreds of New Yorkers drive to the place to feast their eyes on spectacle. Great clusters of grapes greet the eye as far as the sight extends, a purple prairie kissed by the summer sun. In the vaults of the company are the very oldest wines produced in this country. The company sells so much of its product every year, and no fancy prices would induce it to break in on a wine which it did not believe had the right age to give it the proper flavor. There is no wine like it to be had in the United States.

Of Interest to Juniors.

PHILIPSBURG, Centre County, Pa., May 5.—The state council of the order of United American Mechanics in annual session here, to-day elected the following state officers to serve the ensuing year: Councillor, George Lavely, Reading; vice councilor, J. T. Flega, Duncannon; secretary, Walter Graham, Philadelphia; treasurer, Charles Kurtz, Philadelphia; inductor, L. Watkin Moore, Fernwood; examiner, E. M. Shade, Chambersburg; protector, S. A. Rankin, Roscoe; representatives to the national council, Charles H. Kurtz, Philadelphia, and H. M. Holstein, Harrisburg,

Reading was selected as the place of meeting next year.

To Honor Washington.

HARRISBURG, May 5.—Governor Hastings issued a proclamation to-day designating Saturday, May 15, as a public holiday, in pursuance of a concurrent resolution adopted by the legislature, and inviting the citizens of Pennsylvania and the officials of all municipalities and other sub-divisions of the state government to make the unveiling of the equestrian statue of George Washington by the Pennsylvania Society of the Cincinnati in Philadelphia worthy of the commonwealth and of the memory of him in whose honor the monument will be dedicated.

Only One Building Burned.

At Eagleville a small two story frame house, unoccupied, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The building belonged to a man named John Baker. The fire was of incendiary origin.

The Philadelphia papers Wednesday contain sensational dispatches, sent from Williamsport, to the effect that a number of buildings were burned and that the entire town of Eagleville was threatened with being wiped out. Evidently the correspondent who sent the telegram needs more truth and less elasticity in his imagination.—Lock Haven Democrat.

Worms in Children

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Great Year at Chautauqua.

So far as can be judge at this date the original Chautauqua on Chautauqua lake will have a great season in 1897. Concessions in rates have been made by railways which will enable many to attend who have been hitherto debarred by the expense. Early in July and early in August excursions will be run from Chicago and New York, with a round trip rate of $14 in the former case and $10 in the latter, with pro rata rates from intermediate points, all tickets good for 30 days. Stop-overs at Chautauqua will be allowed on the return half of tickets to the National Educational association meeting at Milwaukee in July, and on tickets to the Epworth league convention at Toronto early in July, which tickets will be issued at the rate of one fare for the round trip, are good for 30 days and can be obtained at all points in the United States and by any person desiring to use them for visiting Chautauqua. One feature of the rate granted for the cheap 30-day excursions from New York and Chicago to Chautauqua that is news, is the pro rata rates that will be made from intermediate points. This will enable people all along the trunk lines between New York and Chautauqua, and Chicago and Chautauqua, to get to the assembly grounds for a stay of 30 days at exceedingly low rates. These excursions will be run, one from New York and one from Chicago, early in July and one from each place early in August.

FREE STATE SUMMER SCHOOL.

In 1896, under the auspices of the state of New York, a free summer institute for New York state teachers was held at Chautauqua. Over 250 avail themselves of this course of instruction. An appropriation was made by the state legislature; and through arrangements with the Chautauqua management, all New York state teachers who attended these courses were exempt from the gate fee at Chautauqua during the three week's session of the school. A similar appropriation and arrangement has been made for the summer of 1897.

The advantages which Chautauqua offers as a summer resort for health, pleasure, instruction and entertainment are everywhere recognized and with cheap rates and the 30-day privilege the attendance during the season of '97 is confidently expected to far surpass all previous records.

Strange Disappearance.

The following from Fridays Williamsport Evening News tells of the disappearance of a young farmer from that city and his finally being found in this place Thursday.

Parker Long, a young farmer residing near the Union school house in Loyalsock township, disappeared from market on Wednesday and caused his friends much anxiety until he was found at Bellefonte yesterday.

During Wednesday forenoon he left his market stand to go up town, leaving his brother in charge. The latter cleared things away, and as Parker did not turn up at a reasonable hour he started home where he informed his father of Parke's absence. The father came to this city and made a search, but did not ask police aid. He stated that Parker had between $30 and $40 in his pocket at the time. He could find no trace of his son.

Parker must have gone to the Pennsylvania railroad station and boarded Niagara for he turned up at Bellefonte Wednesday evening. C. J. Reilly, Esq., of this city, was in Bellefonte that evening and was talking to Postmaster Fortney, when Parker came along, Mr. Fortney asked Mr. Reilly if he knew the young man who was approaching, and upon being informed that he did not Mr. Fortney said his name was Long and he belonged in Williamsport. Late Wednesday afternoon the young man came to the postoffice and stated to the postmaster that he had run away from his home in Willamsport and he was out of money. Fortney thought that Long's actions were rather singular and he had a notion to have him held until word could be received from Williamsport, but did not do so.

What we Inherit.

We are not to blame for. we cannot be held responsible for the dispositions and tendencies which we derive from our ancestors, nor are we responsible for the germs of disease which may manifest themselves in our blood as a heritage from former generations. But we are responsible if we allow these germs to develop into serious diseases which will impair our usefulness and destroy our happiness. We are responsible if we transmit to our descendants the disease germs which it is possible for us to eradicate by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the one true blood purifier. This medicine has power to make rich, red blood and establish perfect health in place of disease.

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Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting feet and instantly takes the sting corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight-fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c. in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted Le Roy, N. Y.

Prizes for Sunlight Soap Wrappers.

The announcement of winners for the month of March of the Sunlight Soap monthly wrapper competition in what is known as District No. 3, consisting of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia and District of Columbia, has come to hand. Messrs. Lever Bros., ltd., have awarded the first prize of $100 to H. H. Barnum, 2215 Mt. Vernon street, Philadelphia, Pa. The five second prizes, each of a $100 Pierce Special Bicycle, have been awarded to Cornie A. Stolz, 2210 Eighth ave., Altoona, Pa.; Robt. J. Campbell, Camden, Kent co., Del.; Miss Emma Pass, 918 Almond st., Williamsport, Pa; Wm. Medders, Still Pond, Kent co., Md.; John Hipp, 238 S. Second st., St. Clair, Pa. The ten third prizes each of a $25 gold watch, have been awarded to Albin Hoch, 164 Chestnut st., Allentown, Pa.; Louis M. Backe, 1211 Ridge ave., Philadelphia, Pa.; Robt. Stitzel, 801 W. Race st., Pottsville, Pa.; W. E. Kelley, 103 E. Lombard st., Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Ed. Vilsack. 3943 Liberty ave., Pittsburg, Pa.; John Kitten, Jr., 2753 Fairhill st., Philadelphia, Pa.; Alex. Waters, 44 Lincoln ave., Carbondale, Pa.; Mrs. Karl Hellman, Irwin, Westmoreland co., Pa.; Mrs. E. Estelle Bramble, Centreville, Md.; P. M. Woleslagle, Martinsburg, W. Va.

See advertisements in this paper from time to time for particulars, or write to Lever Bros., ltd., Hudson and Harrison sts., New York.

LONDON, May 5.—It is reported from Athens that the Turks to-day made an attack upon the Greeks at Alvali, between Pharsala and Velestino and were repulsed. The Athens correspondent of the Daily Mail says:

"Ten thousand Turks attacked the Greek position at Velestino. The firing ceased at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and it is evident that the Greeks have met with a great success. There has been great slaughter at Pharsala, where the battle is proceeding. Crown Prince Constantine telegraphs as to the engagement at Velestino: 'With God's help our side has conquered.'"

The Athens correspondent of the Times says:

"Simultaneously with the attack at Velestino, the Turks attacked the Greek outposts at Tarta, near Pharsala. It is said that both attacks have been repulsed by the Greeks. Gen. Smolenski says: 'The brigade at Velestino is deluged with blood.'"

Six divisions of Turkish troops have marched forward to Pharsala and it is understood that the Porte has given Edhem Pasha a free hand.

It is officially announced that eight Turkish warships have left the Dardanelles, and after proceeding to the Cassandra peninsula, sailed for the Island of Lemnos. An American warship has joined the international squadron at Phalerum.

The Greek fleet has captured at the entrance of the Gulf of Salonica a schooner in which Sir Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, the Anglo-American member of Parliament, recently visited the Turks. The vessel will be taken to the Piraeus for examination. It is reported that documents of a seriously compromising character have been found on the schooner. These will be turned over to the Greek government.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ of much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c. and 25c. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

The Cruiser at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—The French cruiser Fulton, which participated in the ceremonies connected with the dedication of the Grant tomb in New York, and which has been assigned to perform similer duty at the unveiling of the Washington monument in this city on Saturday, May 15, arrived here from New York this afternoon.

—There are rumors afloat, which are said to be reliable, that work will soon commence on the new Bellefonte and Philipsburg railroad, the surveys for which were made by Engineer A. V. Hoyt, of Philipsburg. We hope the reports are true, and that it is not far distant until Bellefonte will enjoy the advantages that such an outlet will afford.

A Hint For Pennsylvanians.

Lehigh Valley newspapers report business in the slate region unusually brisk and ascribe the change in part to the improved condition of times generally and in part to the strike in the Welsh quarries.

At Weatherly the Lehigh Valley shops, which employ many hands, will this week resume work on full time; and the *Mack* Wood Working Company last week increased their working time to fifteen hours a day.

The list of building permits granted by the authorities of Scranton for the month of April is reported to be one of the largest for some months.

On April 30 the Pennsylvania fields showed 364 rigs and 474 drilling wells under way, a gain of 32 rigs and 11 drilling wells over March, with the rate of gain growing.

At Pittsburg we are told by the newspapers from that city, the Star Tin Plate Company has put its force on full time, and the Oliver and Snyder Steel Company is to build another blast furnace at Allegheny.

The Pennsylvania Steel Company, at Steelton, has given orders to put its No. 3 furnace, which has been idle since January, 1896, in blast.

At Leechburg the Land and Improvement Company, which takes its name from the town, will soon erect a tin plate mill.

New Castle papers contain the announcement that the New Castle Tube Company, of that place, is operating its plant to its full capacity, employing both a day and night force.

In the same line we beg to note that the Washington Sheet and Tin Plate Company, of Washington, Pa., is to make a number of extensive additions to its plant.

These are some of the signs of the times as incidentally reported by the local newspapers and picked up by the Inquirer at random. We note them without comment, asking only that they be contrasted with the news of suspensions, reduced wages and failures which followed the inauguration of Grover Cleveland in 1893.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The above is a fair statement and shows the steady improvement in business throughout our state. This is quite a contrast from the calamity howl set up by the Centre Democrat and Watchman of this place.

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Stole Diamonds and Money.

CHICAGO, May 4.—A man named Lawrence, a confidential servant of Mrs. Arthur H. Blair, has disappeared, and with him diamonds to the value of $8,000 and $2,500 in money. Saturday while sick in bed, Mrs. Blair intrusted Lawrence with her safety deposit box at the Chamber of Commerce vaults. He has not been seen since.

—The newspaper offices in Clearfield have organized to boycot those enterprising (?) citizens who want the paper to say nice things of them when living and take their job work off to the most isolated place to try to have it done cheap in quality and dearer than through legitimate channels of trade.

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DR. NANSEN'S WIFE.

King Oscar Has a Special Admiration for Her Voice.

Of Dr. Nansen's wife not much information has found its way into print. She seems to have a very imperfectly developed taste for publicity, but what is known of her is interesting and indicates that she is an uncommon woman, both in talent and character. It is recorded by Dr. Nansen's biographers, Broegger and Rolfsen, that his first meeting with his future wife was in the woods about Frogner Seator, where, one day, observing the soles of two feet sticking up out of the snow, he approached them, with natural curiosity, in time to see the head of Eva Sars emerge from a snowbank. Dr. Nansen was married in 1889, after his return from his successful expedition across Greenland. When he started in the Fram in 1893, his wife, left at home at Lysaker, near Christiana, with one child, turned for occupation to the development and use of her gifts as a singer, and with notable success. King Oscar of Sweden is one of her admirers, and especially likes her singing, which he has often heard; and since she has been in England the compliment has been paid her of asking her to sing before the Queen. She is a staunch backer of her adventurous husband, whose departure on his perilous errand cost her anxieties and misgivings as to which she said little at the time. Since her husband's return she has sometimes spoken in conversation of her fears, and has said that careful comparison of Dr. Nansen's diary with her record or remembrance of her own sensations bears her out in the belief that the times when she was the most concerned about him were the seasons of his greatest peril. That implies a telepathic communication born of intense sympathy and solicitude, the possibility of which science seems no longer disposed to deny. Mrs. Nansen's father was Professor Sars, a well-known zoologist. Zoology, it will be remembered, is a branch of science of which Dr. Nansen has made a special study.—Harper's Weekly.

Took the Conceit Out of Him.

"I'm going to have a little fun this afternoon," remarked Joseph Goodfellow, as he worked his way into his overcoat, preparatory to leaving his office Saturday. "That boy of mine has been reading about the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight, and boxing in barns all over town, till he imagines he is a pugilist. I'm going to take him out in the back yard and take some of the conceit out of him. He is a pretty husky boy, but you know I used to be very clever with the mittens myself."

This morning the following appeared under the head of personal mention:

"The friends of Mr. Joseph Goodfellow will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his home in the Western Addition."

In the sporting columns of the same journal was the following:

"I hereby challenge any 16-year-old boy on the Pacific coast, who don't weigh over 135 pounds, to fight to a finish for fun or marbles.—Kid Goodfellow."—San Francisco Post.

Dingley Bill Explained At Rome.

Rome, May 9.—In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, the Minister of Husbandry, Count Guicciardini, replying to Senor Picardi, explained the clauses of the Dingley bill affecting Italian trade, especially oranges and lemons. He added that Baron Fava, the Italian Ambassador at Washington, is continuing negotiations to obtain the greatest concessions possible.

Senor Picardi expressed satisfaction at the activity of Baron Fava, and urged the government to persist in protecting Italian interests, especially with the view of securing a commercial arrangement should the new tariff be enacted.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The undersigned having been restored to health by simple means, after suffering for several years with a severe lung affection and that dread disease **Consumption**, is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure. To those who desire it we will cheerfully send (free of charge) a copy of the prescription used, which they will find a sure cure for **Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, Bronchitis** and all throat and lung maladies. He hopes all sufferers will try his remedy, as it is invaluable. Those desiring the prescription, which will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing, will please address,

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Brooklyn, New York.

Mixed Relationships.

An exchange tells of a family consisting of two mothers, four fathers, one grandmother, six sons, one grandfather, three sisters, six brothers, five husbands, three aunts, two nieces, seven uncles, six nephews, two wives, one mother in-law, three sisters-in law, seven brothers-in-law, one father-in-law, one son-in-law, six grandsons, two grand-daughters, and there are only ten in the family.

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What Mountain Fires Did.

Last spring there was a disastrous fire that spread over the entire Seven Mountains region destroying hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of timber along with some saw mills, lumberman's cabins and miles of tramroads; no previous fire did as much harm as this one in our mountain region.

The mountains of this region number a score, are large and were well covered with timber previous to last spring. Now they are bare, a desert waste, here and there charred stems of what were once noble trees for the manufacture of lumber or prop timber. All the young timber has been burned to ashes down to the edge of the creeks, and what was not consumed remains as dead, dry rods.

Standing upon one mountain the eye had within its sweep a dozen others, barren, dead, and no living vegetation. Back of these are other mountains clothed with the same shroud and gloom. What was once a feast of romantic beauty for the eye of the lover of nature, is now an awful spectacle of naked rock and earth, with rare spots of living green to break the monotony of the havoc.

Thousands of acres are thus laid waste. Years of employment for lumbermen would have been afforded in this region—but the fire! the fire! perhaps the work, as usual, of the scoundrelly, mountain-firing fiend has done its work, save that it left unburned the cur that caused it—destroying not only great value, but the romantic beauty of the Seven Moutains.—Centre Hall Reporter.

Trap for Express Robbers.

From the Philadelphia Record.

Now comes an express car that is so contrived that it will catch the wary robber. Usually the would-be robber lays in wait for the car, but now the process is to be reversed, and the car will lay in wait for the robber. The device consists of an entire lining for the inside of the car (or half of it, if preferred) sides and roof with flat steel bars of suitable sizes, making the car reality a jail on wheels. The doors consist of several sections, which slide past each other to the top of the car, and are always open, except when wanted in case of attempted robbery of the car, when they are simultaneously released and fall of their own weight, locking as they fall by a system of rackets on the side. The same movement also releases a similar door in front of the safe, which is enclosed in a separate steel cage, and that is securly locked in. When a demand by the robbers is made that official retires through an exit provided for his use to a place where he has a full view of the interior of the car, and where he is hidden from view and safe from attack, and by a simple arrangement slides open the regular wooden door of the car, enabling the robber or robbers to enter, which they are supposed to do with alacrity. As soon as one or more of them are inside the messenger pulls a lever, releasing the steel doors, as above explained, and locking them securely inside. Once locked the doors cannot be opened, except by the proper official who holds the combination. The apparatus is said to take up no space in the car which would cause interference with the duties of the messenger.

Will Give a Concert.

The Imperial Mandolin & Guitar Club of this city, will give a high class Concert in the Bush Arcade on Thursday evening May 20th 1897, commencing at eight o'clock. The members of the club, Messrs. Gerhart, Brown, Taylor and Culveyhouse, are well known to the public here, having appeared on numerous occasions during the past season; their beautiful Serenades especially, stamp them as Artists of high ability. The Club on this occasion will be ably assisted by two of Bellefonte's favorite Musicians, Messrs. Wm. B. Reeve, Vocalist, and W. P. Young, Violinist. Manager Gerhart is making every effort to make the entertainment one which will be well worth attending. Admission, 15, 25 and 35c. Tickets may be obtained from the members of the Club, or at Parrish' Drug Store.

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The Bellefonte Republican

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Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

EDWARD T. TUTEN.

Local Department.

—The Moshannon National Bank of Philipsburg, Pa., has been authorized to begin business, capital being $50,000.

—Bear in mind the stereopticon lecture on "The Slums of New York" Monday evening May 17th in the court house. Admission free.

—Do you want a Permanent Position with Good Pay? If so, write to the Hawks Nursery Co., Rochester, N. Y. A13-m

—The little four year old daughter of James Gregg died Monday morning at her father's home on East Beaver street. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Episcopal church.

For Pin Worms, Eczema, Hives, in fact, any of the various torturing, itchy diseases of the skin, Doan's Ointment is instant and positive remedy. Get it from your dealer.

—Henry M. Krebs and Ada Sauserman both of Pine Grove Mills, were the only parties made happy by receiving a marriage license from Register Rumbarger during the past week.

—The Arrow Cycle Club of Dubois proposed to hold a great two days race meet and general celebration on July 5 and 6th and have requested our well known wheelman Mr. Geo. Bush to referee.

"I have used Burdock Blood Bitters in my family for two years. It is the best medicine I ever used. It cured me of erysipelas in very short time; also cured my son of scrofula after the doctors had failed." Louie S. Woodward, Laurel Hill, Fayette County, Pa.

—Governor Hastings has issued a proclamation declaring May 15 a public holiday; so now the citizens of Pennsylvania, as well as the citizens of Philadelphia, can turn out to make the occasion worthy of the Father of our country and of the Commonwealth.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

—Delicacy forbids discussion so soon of a successor to Judge Ewing. But the circumstance that Gov. Hastings, who will make the appointment, is a friend of Senator Quay, and that the senator's relations with W. B. Rodgers are peculiarly close point to that gentleman as the man for the emergency. More than this it would be improper to say now, except to note the fact that Mr. Rodgers' fitness for the place is beyond dispute.

—A demented man giving his name as Higgins boarded a west bound freight train at McVeytown Friday evening, being hauled by engine No. 775. Shortly after leaving that point this individual set a number of brakes, bringing the train to a stop, after which he approached the engine and held up the fireman, Isaac Matchet, at the point of a revolver, claiming a brother was under the train. Endeavoring to help the stalled train out an extra engine derailed one of the cars, causing a blockade to freight trafic of over three hours. The demented individual was conveyed to the Lewistown jail.—Huntingdon Local News.

Dr Chas. Woods, a most able divine, and who the people of Bellefonte know so well by the eloquent sermons he preached in the Presbyterian church last summer, will devote all his time and talent this summer in the work of the Master. He has built a tabernacle similar to the one which the people of Bellefonte donated to Evangelist Weaver a year ago. Mr. Woods says he can reach more souls and more people this way than through his church. He will spend his whole summer's vacation in this work. Mr Woods is a son-in-law of Mrs Wister Morris, who during the summer months, lives in the house formally occupied by the late J. V. Thomas on Allegheny St.

—President Thwing, of the Western Reserve University at Cleveland, writes in the April "Review of Reviews" on "How to Choose a College." His article deals with the practical questions likely to present themselves to students about to select a college home for four years, or to the parents of such students, and is characterized by the fullness of information and general breadth of view which have made President Thwing an expert on this and allied subjects for many years past.

In the April "Review of Reviews" Mr. Charles S. Bernheimer presents a rapid survey of the different agencies for "National Jewish Educational Work" in the United States. His article is illustrated.

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Guaranteed tobacco habit cure makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. $1. All druggists.

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Death of Mrs. Eliza I. Curtin.

Mrs. Eliza I. Curtin, widow of the late Roland Curtin, a prominent iron manufacturer of his time, died at her home, corner of Allegheny and Howard streets, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. She suffered from a complication of diseases and had been confined to her bed for the past two years. Her extreme old age made her recovery an impossibility, and although she suffered much during her sickness the end came very peacefully, and she breathed her last just as the church bells began to ring.

Deceased was born in Linden Hall, October 6th, 1814, and was therefore 82 years, 7 months and 3 days old. She was a daughter of John Irvin, one of the largest land owners in Penns Valley and successful merchant.

She was married June 17th. 1834, to Roland Curtin, a member of the firm which operated the Eagle Iron Works at Roland, Centre county.

Andrew G. Curtin was also a member of this firm.

Mrs. Curtin was a sincere christian lady, a member of the Presbyterian church for many years. By her kind patient ways she endeared herself to all who knew her and will be greatly missed by them.

She leaves to mourn her loss the following named children: Col. Austin Curtin, Superintendent of the Soldiers, Orphans' School at Chester Springs, Chester County, Pa., Gen. John Irvin Curtin, of Bellefonte; Andrew G. Curtin, Jr., of Philadelphia, and James C. Curtin, of Bellefonte.

Mrs. Curtin was a sister of Gen. James Irvin, deceased, who during his life held a high position in county and state, and ran for Governor in 1844.

The only surviving member of her family is Mrs. Sarah Potter, widow of Capt. W. W. Potter, and mother of Geo. L. and John I. Potter, of Bellefonte

FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza I. Curtin took place from her late residence on Allegheny street, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. It was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives, and the floral offerings were profuse and beautiful. Dr. William Laurie preached a very earnest funeral sermon, in which he spoke of the many good qualities of the deceased, whose pastor he had been for many years.

The pall-bearers were four sons and two nephews of the deceased, namely: Captain Austin Curtin, General J. Irvin Curtin, Andrew G. Curtin, James C. Curtin, John I. Potter and John I. Thompson. Interment in Union cemetery.

"I burned my fingers very badly. The pain was intense. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil brought relief in three minutes. It was almost magical. I never saw anything like it." Amelia Swords, Saundersville, O.

Memorial Day Tribute.

The Memorial Day services, under the auspices of Gregg Post, No. 95, Department of Pennsylvania, will be carried out, the committee desires to inform the public, in the most appropriate manner, on Saturday, May 29th.

All school children are specially desired to contribute flowers for the occasion. They have always done this cheerfully and will not fail us now. It takes a good many. Bring them to the Post Room early. You will feel all the better for this tribute to the soldiers who have gone to join the great army above. With thanks for past favors,

Respectfully,
FLORAL COMMITTEE.

Another Grand Rally.

On Tuesday; May 25th, Messrs. Weaver, Weeden and Vandeventer will have another big rally at Hecla Park, similar to the one they held there last year. Everybody is acquainted with these men and know how well they can sing and preach. Everybody should turn out on this occasion and help the good work along.

This will also be the opening of the park. Don't forget the date May 25th. All are cordially invited to attend.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co. Chicago or N[illegible]

Found Dead in His Room.

A very sudden death occurred Wednesday at Black Hawk, Potter township. Wm. W. Horner, a farmer, was found dead in his room about five o'clock by one of the members of his family. He had been upstairs but a short time and his death came as sudden as a flash of lightning. He had not complained of being sick during the day and was to all appearances as well as ever he was.

Deceased was a well to do farmer and is well known in this vicinity having attended the curb market here for many years. He was sixty-two years of age and leaves a wife and one son, Calvin M. Horner. He was a veteran of the late war having served in Co. F, 5th Regimet, Penna V olunteers.

The funeral will take place Saturday morning at ten o'clock. Interment at Centre Hall.

There was some talk of holding a post mortem examination to determine the cause of death but this has been given up as his death was due to heart disease beyond any doubt. This is the third sudden death that has occured in this family within the last few years. Two of his brothers having passed away in a like manner.

A Trout Dinner.

A party of seventeen young men went on their wheels, last Sunday, from Bellefonte to Millheim, to enjoy a trout dinner at the Musser House in that place. They arrived at the hotel at 11 o'clock and dinner was served at 12:30. It was a fine treat, which all enjoyed hugely. The party started on the return trip at 3 o'clock, arriving about three hours later. All were well pleased with their run The party was composed of the following gentlemen: Chas. Richards, J. H: Gross, Harry Gerberich, Harry Yeager, Joseph Katz, Jos. Lose, Benj. Bradley, T. G. Cruse, W. P. Young, Linn McGinley, Chas Lukenbach, Wm. Flack, John Teats, Samuel Greninger, Wm. Royer, Ed. Eckenroth, Chas. Mench.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all dr[illegible]

Is it a Blackmailing Scheme.

On Monday manager of Opera House, A. S. Garman, received a letter from a Mr. Frazer, of Chicago, asking for a royalty of twenty five dollars for the production of "A Cheerful Liar," also stating that if the money did not come forthwith, they would give the claim to an attorney to collect the full amount, as the law directs, viz., one hundred dollars and one years imprisonment. He is not worrying very much as he says he will have company, as "A Cheerful Liar" was produced in Tyrone, Altoona, Houtzdale and Punxsutawney about the same time, and as all the managers are good fellows he will have a nice time.

Slums of New York by Flash Light.

Prof. Henry Van Drew, of Ney York city will give a stereoptican entertainment in the Court House next Monday evening May 17th. Subject "Slums of New York by Flash Light." This inspiring and delightful presentation is the out growth of years personal and gratuitous all-night rescue work in the high toned and low toned sinks of iniquity in the metropolis and among the News boys. It never fails to delight, and it is original in style. This entertainment is given under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. No charge for admission, a silver collection will be taken. The disappointed ones are those who do not attend. Everybody is invited to be present.

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List of Unclaimed Letters.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte postoffice uncalled for May 10, 1897:

E. M. Brown, Mrs. Alpha Corman (2), Esther A. Ewing (2), John H. Fullgor, W. R. Ford, C. H. Graham, Jerry E. Lytle, Mrs. Mary Marrow, Mrs. J. A. Nelson, James W. Reeder, Annie Royer, John Strive, Morris Thompson.

When called for please say advertised. D. F. FORTNEY, P. M.

THAT PHILADELPHIA TRIP.

Colonel Theo. Burchfield Issues His Orders to the Fifth Regiment.

First Lieutenant and Adjutant John S. Fair, by order of Colonel Theo. Burchfield, has issued the third general orders from the headquarters of the Fifth regiment, Second brigade, National Guard of Pennsylvania, in this city. They are as follows:

1. In compliance with general orders No. 3, division headquarters, National Guard of Pennsylvania, the Fifth regiment infantry will embark for Philadelphia, Pa., on Friday, May 14, 1897, to participate in the parade and ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the Washington monument on the 15th instant.

2. Officers of the field and commissioned staff will parade mounted, wearing the state uniform, leggins and gauntlets.

Officers of the line will parade wearing state uniform, leggins and white cotton gloves.

All officers must wear a white standup collar. All enlisted men will parade wearing the state uniform, leggins and white cotton gloves.

White laydown shirt collars must be worn by all enlisted men while on parade.

Overcoats and rubber blankets will not be carried, but each enlisted man will carry the knapsack with woolen blanket neatly rolled thereon, also haversack, canteen, arms and equipments.

Sufficient rations will be carried in the haversack to last for the journey to Philadelphia at least.

The uniforms must be neat, clean and fit well, and all brasses polished. The leggins must be clean and the shoes blackened. No russet shoes permitted in line.

Company commanders will be held strictly responsible for the conduct of their men while on this trip. The jumping on and off cars at stopping points must not be permitted. Drunkenness on the part of officers or men will meet with prompt reprimand or discharge from the service.

The regimental drum corps will report to the adjutant at 10.30 a. m., May 14, 1897.

The commissioned and non-commissioned staff officers will travel with companies from their stations and report to headquarters on troop train.

Straw mattresses can be purchased in Philadelphia for enlisted men, thirty inches by six feet in size, two mattresses for three men. Price, 50 cents apiece. Company commanders will advise these headquarters at once by wire. upon the receipt of this order, as to whether they are desirous of having mattresses and the number required, as these mattresses will be made only on order.

At Altoona a troop train to be made up as follows:

Regimental headquarters, one coach; regimental drum corps, one combined coach, and the cars containing Companies F, D, H and C. Train leaving Altoona on No. 8 schedule at 11.05 a. m. Company F, one coach, leave Clearfield at 9.31 a. m. on train No. 5, arriving at Tyrone at 11.20 a. m. Company B, one coach, leave Bellefonte at 9.53 a. m. on train No. 51, arriving at Tyrone at 11.10 a. m. These companies to be taken up by troop train at Tyrone, on No. 8 schedule, at 11.30 a. m. Company A, one coach. leave Huntingdon at 12.03 p. m., by troop train. Company G, one coach, leave Lewistown Junction at 1.02 p. m., by troop train, arriving in Philadelphia by 6 p. m., and proceeding directly to quarters at Sixth and Race streets. Returning home on Sunday evening, leaving on train No. 7, schedule at 10.27 p. m., in order to connect with branch trains at Tyrone, Altoona and Blairsville Intersection, Monday morning.

No persons will be carried on this train who are not bona fide members of the regiment, except officers' servants in uniform.

Death of Mrs. Rothrock.

Mrs. Margaretta Rothrock, an aged widow lady, died at her home on Pine street, on Thursday at 5 o'clock. Her death was due to heart failure. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Presbyterian church. Interment in the Union cemetery.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Thomas Morris spent Sunday in Tyrone.

Frank Hess, of Philipsburg, attended court last week.

B. Weber, of Howard, is in town Thursday on business.

Soloman Peck, of Nittany, is in town Thursday on business.

Col. J. L. Spangler is transacting business in New York City.

Clement Dale Esq., made a business trip to Port Matilda Monday.

Hon. A. O. Furst of this city, is attending Court in Huntingdon this week.

George Ream, and wife of Penns Cave were visitors to our town this week.

Jno. Ream Sr., of Penns Cave transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday.

Frank Maloy and John Peck two Altoona cyclists made a run to this place Sunday.

Miss Sara P. Malin, of Bellefonte, spent Tuesday in Tyrone, the guest of Mrs. J. L. Mitchell.

Dr. John Hubler and wife of Tylersville, Clinton county, were in Bellefonte attending court.

Fanny Mulbarger, of this place, is visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jamison, at Williamsport.

Misses Jennie Zimmerman and Annie Koontz attended the Epworth League convention at Holidaysburg.

Clyde W. Erhart, of Bellevue, Ohio, arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday called here as a witness in a certain case.

Mrs. John. C. Miller who has been ill for several weeks has gone to Philadelphia to enter a hospital for treatment.

Rev. Dr Lawrence M. Colfelt has declined the call to the North avenue congreational church of Cambridge, Mass.,

Mrs. J. A. Woodcock, is again at home after a months visit at Curtins. She has engaged board at Miss McGill's for the summer.

Andrew Curtin Jr., of Philadelphia arrived in this city Monday called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. Eliza Curtin.

Murray Andrews and wife who have been spending the winter in Philadelphia, have arrived home and will occupy the Hale residence this summer.

Misses. Grace F. Forshey, of Philipsburg, and Lillian Glossner, of Blanchard, are two Centre girls who are students at the West Chester Normal School.

J. Malcoln Laurie, the enterprising laundryman, returned Wednesday from a weeks visit in New York city. While there he witnessed the Grant memorial services.

George L. Williams, of Howard, intertwined digits with his many friends in this place Wednesday. His health is much improved and he is begining to look like himself again.

W. Harrison Walker, attended court at Lock Haven Monday and while there attended to important business. Mr. Walker is one of the rising young lawyer of Bellefonte.

P. B. Crider, of this place, and Balso Weber, of Howard, left last Saturday for a ten days trip to Atlantic City. They are both jolly, and will certainly be excellent company for each other.

Mrs. Pauline Lichten and Mr. Augustus Lyon arrived in Bellefonte, from Philadelphia, last Monday to attend court, but the case they were interested in was postponed. Mrs. Lichten returned to the city Monday.

Prof. W. T. Meyer, piano tuner, of Bellefonte, was in town on Wednesday.

Aside from being a first-class man in the profession Mr. Meyer is a courteous gentleman and has a large circle of friends. —Mill Hall Times.

Misses Blanch Hayes, Caroline Orvis and Mary Hendrickson are going to Europe with Miss Mary Thomas and Mrs Isaac Mitchell the latter part of June. They exepect to sail by the North German line and be gone three months.

Daniel Garman returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Atlantic city. On his way home he tarried a week at the home of his son-in-law, Isaac Maitland in Williamsport. Mr. Maitland has been very ill for the past two weeks but is now slowly improving.

Mr. Alfred Neubauer, the congenial youpg clerk at the Brockerhoff House returned home Monday morning from Erie, where he has been recuperating for the last month. Mr. Neubauer's health has improved considerably while being away.

J. A. Aikens went to Beaver Falls this Tuesday morning as a representative from Bellefonte Council to the Grand Council which meets at that place. He is the present Regent of Bellefonte lodge. Mrs. Aikens accompanied him and while there will visit her daughter, Mrs. George Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, of Lock Haven, and Mrs. John Homes, of Jacksonville, spent a few days in Bellefonte, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Irvin. Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Holmes being called here by the serious illness of Mr. Irvin's mother.

Mr. William Gainsfort spent Saturday and Sunday, with Evangelists, Weaver, Weeden and Vandeventer in Lock Haven. Mr. Gainsfort says the meetings are certainly a grand success. These meetings have been running nearly two weeks now. The tabernacle is crowded morning, noon, and night.

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Sheriff W. M. Cronister is out of town Wednesday on business.

Frank McCoy, of Centre Hall, transacted business in Bellefonte Wednesday.

Hon. Wm. K. Alexander, of Millheim, was in town Wednesday on business. He returned to his home on the afternoon train.

Miss Anna Goodhart, the bright and accomplished daughter of ex-commissioner Geo. Goodhart has been spending a few days among friends in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Samuel Irvin, mother of Mr. Rob't. Irvin, who has been in a very critical condition is slowly recovering, and hopes are now entertained of her getting well.

Mr. Samuel Taylor, and Mr. Morris Trone, will leave for New York City this (Thursday) evening. Mr Taylor going on busines and Mr. Trone on a pleasure trip. These young men expect to be in Philadelphia for dedication of the Washington monument on Saturday.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common water glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. For a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. mention the REPUBLICAN and send your full post office address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarrantee the genuineness of this offer.

Chancing off a Lamp.

The Coleville band is chancing off a handsome lamp, which is now on exhibition in the store window of W. H. Wilkinson's china store. The chances are only one cent each and the chance of winning a handsome lamp is not to be sneezed at. Encourage the boys by buying liberally of their tickets, and you will not regret it. Tickets are on sale at Wilkinson's store or from members of the band.

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Dr. John W. Bull's Pills are a sovereign remedy; they are not like ordinary, cathartic pills that violently purge the bowels, but they possess specific, curative powers, which stimulate the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys, giving them vitality, tone and healthful action. "I have used Dr. Bull's Pills for liver, kidney and stomach diseases, and found that they are the best and surest cure for these ailments. I keep Dr. Bull's Pills in the house year in and out, and my wife can not praise them enough. Otto Korschel, 1401 W. Main St., Laporte, Ind." Dr. John W. Bull's Pills (sixty in a box) cost but 25 cents; trial box, 10 cents, at all dealers, or by mail. A. C. Meyer & Co., Baltimore, Md. Beware of imitations.
Forsale by C. M. Parrish.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold their monthly sociable at the residence of L. A. Schaeffer, East Curtin Street, Thursday evening. Ice cream, cake and coffee will be served. Music by Imperial Mandolin and Guitar Club. All are cordially invited to be present.

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